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Final BULLETINS

Khotin Captured In Russian Drive

LONDON (AP)—Tonight's Soviet communique broadcast from Moscow announced the capture of Khotin, one of the last centres of resistance in the Ukrainian trap where Moscow has reported the surrounding of the remnants of 15 German divisions.

The bulletin said more than 3,000 Germans had been killed in three days of street fighting in Tarnopol, and that the major part of that important city on the Odessa-Lwow-Warsaw rail line is now in Soviet hands.

West of Dubno on the distant approaches to Lwow in prewar Poland, the communique added, the Red Army has captured 30 additional places.

Bomb Truk Again

WASHINGTON (AP) — U.S. fliers continuing their almost daily bombing of Truk, hit two islands in the lagoon at that Japanese base Thursday night and returned safely despite attempted interception by three enemy planes, the navy announced this afternoon.

Governor Here May 2

VANCOUVER (CP)—The Earl of Athlone, Governor-General, and Princess Alice will pass through Vancouver, May 2, on their way to Victoria, where they will remain until May 4.

Dewey Withdraws

PORTLAND, Ore. (AP)—Backers of Thomas E. Dewey today withdrew the New York Governor's name from the Oregon presidential primary election to be held next month.

Hungarian Leaders At Turk Embassy

LNN (CP-Reuters) — Former Hungarian Premier Nikolas Kallay and Count Andrassy are guests of the Turkish minister in Budapest and are now residing at the Turkish embassy there. Ankara radio said tonight, quoting the Budapest correspondent of the Anatolian News Angency.

Take Toll of Japs

ON THE INDIA-BURMA BORDER (AP) — British and Indian troops defending the eastern border of India have killed 3,600 Japanese in three weeks, official figures showed tonight.

They have inflicted a total of more than 9,000 casualties on the enemy.

Murder Charged

VANCOUVER (CP)—A murder warrant was issued today against Edward E. Barilla, 25, of Vancouver, in the shooting, stabbing and alleged holdup at a downtown Vancouver hotel Sunday, and police are pressing a city-wide search for him.

Barilla is believed to have been wounded in the affray, which ended in death for Wellington Wallace and serious injury for Albert Rea.

3rd Typhoid Death

CALGARY (CP)—The third death from typhoid fever was reported today together with two more suspected cases of the disease. The victim was A. Kirkness, a C.P.R. conductor.

A total of 58 diagnosed and suspected cases have now been reported in the area between Banff and Medicine Hat, of which 41 cases, including the three deaths, have been reported at Medicine Hat.

Nazis On Move

STOCKHOLM (AP)—The Free Danish news service said today 40 military trains had moved out of Denmark in the last two weeks, presumably to the Balkans. It added some replacements, including recruits from Hamburg and Germany's eastern provinces, had been sent to Denmark.

Seven divisions were estimated to be in Denmark last autumn, but the number is believed to have been reduced later.

New Plane Used

LONDON (CP)—British naval aircraft which carried out the attack on the German battleship Tirpitz, announced Monday, possibly were the Admiralty's "secret weapons"—the Barracudas—which have been disclosed as the Royal Navy's latest torpedo bombers, a Reuter correspondent wrote today.

This aircraft can be used for high and low-level bombing, dive bombing and torpedo attacks. It is a single-engined monoplane with a formidable range and a low landing speed which enables it to operate from any aircraft carrier.

How Many Men Are in This Picture?

The unretouched photo above, taken near Cape Gloucester, New Britain, is a most vivid illustration of the deadly perils of jungle warfare in the islands of the south seas, where every tree or tangle of undergrowth may hide a murderous foe—and often does. There is a U.S. Marine patrol in the photo, but you can hardly discern them as they crouch to conceal themselves from Japs, who are nearby. How many Marines can you find? For correct answer, turn to Page 2.

Canada's War Casualties 19,697 In 4 Years; Empire Total 667,159

LONDON (CP-Reuters)—Prime Minister Churchill announced in the House of Commons today that Canadian casualties in the first four years of the war totaled 19,697, composed of 9,209 killed, 2,745 missing, 3,383 wounded and 4,360 prisoners of war.

He said the British Empire casualties during the first four years of the war totaled 667,159. The total was made up of 158,741 killed, 78,204 missing, 159,219 wounded, and 270,995 prisoners of war.

Mr. Churchill gave the figures in a written reply to a question.

Of the total killed in the Empire armed forces, he said 120,958 were in United Kingdom units, including overseas personnel serving in such forces, notably men from Newfoundland and southern Rhodesia.

Deaths in the forces from other parts of the Empire were given as follows: Australia, 12,298; New Zealand, 5,622; South Africa, 3,107; India, 5,912; Colonies, 1,635.

BRITAIN'S LOSSES

United Kingdom casualties totaled 387,996, made up of 120,958 killed, 29,469 missing, 93,622 wounded, and 143,947 prisoners of war. These figures include overseas personnel serving in the United Kingdom forces—particularly from Newfoundland and southern Rhodesia.

United Kingdom civilian casualties in the first four years of war totaled 109,101; made up of 49,730 killed and 59,371 injured and detained in hospitals. These figures exclude the casualties at sea.

Casualties to merchant seamen on British ships totaled 30,314, including 26,317 known dead and presumed dead, and 3,997 interned.

Australian war casualties were 74,338, made up of 12,298 killed, 11,887 missing, 29,393 wounded, and 20,760 prisoners of war.

New Zealand casualties totaled 25,717, made up of 5,622 killed, 884 missing, 11,315 wounded and 7,896 prisoners of war.

INDIA'S LOSSES

Indian casualties were 109,800, made up of 5,912 killed, 17,810 missing, 13,230 wounded and 72,848 prisoners of war, included 58,221 officers and other ranks missing but presumed prisoners of war. These Indian casualties include those to Hongkong and Singapore royal artillery.

Casualties to merchant seamen on British ships during the same period were 30,314, made up of 26,317 known and presumed dead and 3,997 internees.

These figures include nationals of the Dominions, India and colonies serving on British registered ships, but do not include any losses which may have been sustained in ships registered outside the United Kingdom.

The Canadian Press compilation of Canadian casualties based on unofficial reports to Feb. 22, 1944, after nearly four and a half years of war, show total casualties of 23,962, comprising 11,725 killed; 4,649 wounded; 3,124 missing; 4,464 prisoners. The breakdown:

	Army	Navy	R.C.A.F.
Killed	2,765	1,084	7,876
Missing	1,114	5	2,005
Wounded	4,490	159	.....
Prisoners	3,338	9	1,117
Total	11,707	1,257	10,998

Only rough estimates are available of Axis, and even Russian, losses.

Associated Press correspondent Taylor Henry, who was interned at Baden-Baden in Germany, said conservative estimates placed Germany's total losses at a minimum of 4,500,000 to 5,000,000 killed, wounded or captured since the beginning of the war.

Last October, Lord Selborne, British minister of economic warfare, said Germany in this conflict had lost twice her battle casualties of World War 1, which included 1,773,000 killed. Moscow's announcements of Nazi casualties gave a total of more than 9,000,000 Germans put out of action through last November.

The United Nations information office last year said Russian army casualties were estimated by the army as 4,500,000 killed and missing. Berlin had claimed as many as 8,200,000 Russians killed, wounded or captured even as long as a year ago.

Italian casualties have been estimated at about 1,000,000.

Patriotic Displays Asked for Loan

Premier John Hart today called for suitable patriotic displays to mark Canada's 6th Victory Loan campaign, opening April 24.

"I would like to take this opportunity of appealing to all city and municipal council and public organizations to co-operate to the fullest extent by making suitable patriotic displays to assist in arousing interest in this campaign," the premier said.

Cut Aircrew Age

OTTAWA (CP)—R.C.A.F. aircrew age limits have been reduced from 33 to 28 for all except air gunners, whose limit has been reduced from 38 to 28, air force headquarters announced today.

There was no official elaboration on the announcement, but an air force spokesman said a reasonable conclusion might be that air crew supply had reached such favorable proportions that the R.C.A.F. could afford to become "choosey." He added that youth had the advantage in high-altitude combat work.

12 Nazi Destroyers Only Opposition To Invasion Fleet

LONDON (AP) — Germany has only about 12 destroyers posted along the European coast from Norway to France to pit against the huge British Home Fleet when the expected invasion of the continent begins, Allied naval authorities declared today.

The remainder of the German fleet is stationed in the Baltic. These Nazi vessels include the 10,000-ton pocket battleships Luetzow and Admiral Scheer, two or three heavy cruisers and, perhaps, six destroyers.

The battleship Gneisenau recently was reported lying dismantled in the former Polish harbor of Gydnia, after being damaged a year and a half ago by R.A.F. bombers at Kiel. There have been no signs of Hitler's first aircraft carrier, the Graf Zepplin.

The battleship Tirpitz, which the Admiralty announced Monday had been heavily damaged by naval airmen while lying in Norway's Alten Fjord no longer is considered a menace to the Allied fleet which will have the task of guarding the invasion sea lanes.

It is believed here the Tirpitz cannot be put into commission again for many months.

The German high command communique declared today that British carrier planes "tried to attack a naval strong point in Norway yesterday" but "the attack was dispersed by our defences and did not develop fully."

"During the course of this action four enemy aircraft were shot down by the battleship Tirpitz and two by an escort vessel," it added.

The Nazi communique also claimed that during the past few days German U-boats sank 14 destroyers and corvettes, including several large destroyers of the Tribal class in an attack on "formations of enemy war vessels in the North Sea." There was no Allied confirmation of this report.

Colwood Hotel Changing Hands

The Colwood Hotel, popular Island Highway tavern, will be operated by new owners May 1, Peter Hardie, present owner and proprietor, said today.

The property is being sold to Mrs. Letitia Boyd Watt, Vancouver, with transfer of the license scheduled at the end of the month. No sales price was available on the deal.

It was understood the premises would operate along lines now followed after certain improvements have been made to the public quarters. The present staff is expected to be retained.

Mr. Hardie said today he would retire from business when the deal was completed.

Bevin Threatens Drastic Action On Mines Strike

LONDON (CP)—Labor Minister Ernest Bevin declared today the pre-invasion strike of Yorkshire coal miners had created "a great crisis in the whole structure of industrial relations" and drastic action must and would be taken at once to prevent a disruption of the war effort.

With more than 80,000 Yorkshire miners still idle despite urgent pleas of government and union leaders, Mr. Bevin told the civil engineer construction conciliation board that the situation is "worse than if Hitler had bombed Sheffield and cut our communications."

YEARS OF PROGRESS

"I can stand with my hand on my heart," Mr. Bevin said, "and say the miners have achieved everything in the last four years that they have fought for since 1912. I think we are entitled, arising out of that, at least to have our lines of communications open and our soldiers supported. . . . We are not going to lose this war. . . . We are not going to have this country let down."

The Labor Minister asserted that if the miners "pursue this policy of wrecking your leaders and industrial agreements properly arrived at and arbitration courts for which you worked for 30 years, you will throw it all over and reduce it to anarchy. It is not the miners alone who will suffer. It is the great mass of the working class."

Censorship Rules Much Tightened

LONDON (CP) — Censorship regulations covering the Canadian Army in Britain have been tightened as a pre-invasion precaution, it was announced today.

The Public Relations sector of Canadian Military Headquarters informed war correspondents that until further notice no Canadian unit other than C.M.H.Q. may be mentioned by name and even the use of geographical identity of a regiment now is prohibited.

"It is considered by censorship officials that insufficient concealment of the identity of a unit is accomplished by calling it, say, 'a western Canada highland regiment'," said the Public Relations section statement. "The most general terms must be used in describing units in order to pass censorship."

No officer above the rank of major may be mentioned by name unless he is permanently posted to Canadian military headquarters. The exception to this rule are senior officers such as Lt.-Gen. H. D. G. Crerar, army commander, on whom releases have been made.

Ready for Invasion of Europe

This is one of the first photos showing the new L.S.D. (Landing Ship Dock), one of the largest of the U.S. navy's fast-growing amphibious fleet that will play a role alongside British, Canadian and other Allied craft in the invasion of Europe from the west.

Russians Within Big Gun Range Of Nazi Headquarters At Jassy

LONDON (AP)—Russian armies are pounding crumbling Axis' defence lines on three widely separated sectors of the eastern front, Moscow announced today, thrusting into Rumania to within artillery range of Iasi (Jassy), driving closer to the important Polish stronghold of Lwow and tightening their siege arc on the Black Sea port of Odessa.

The Soviet high command announced Marshal Zhukov's 1st Ukraine Army had killed or captured 208,260 Axis troops and was encircling remnants of 15 divisions near the borders of German-occupied Czechoslovakia and Poland.

In a single 28-day period last month, a special announcement said, a total of 183,310 Germans were killed and 24,950 captured on a single front, boosting to 537,160 the number of German and satellite troops killed or captured in the great Red Army offensive which has all but cleared Russian soil of the invaders.

HUNT REMNANTS

Far behind the advancing Red Army lines, Zhukov's forces were "hunting down" remnants of 15 divisions in the forested Skala area, 20 miles north of the middle Dniester River, Moscow said. These Axis troops, the Russians declared, originally formed part of 35 divisions and divisional groups decimated or routed between March 4 and March 31 as the Nazis fled across the lower Russian steppes.

In the centre of the 450-mile southern front Marshal Ivan S. Konev's 2nd Army, attacking across the Rumanian plains from the Prut River boundary, cut the 50-mile stretch of railway linking Iasi and Dorohoi at the town of Dengeni, 25 miles southwest of Dorohoi, the Russian communique said. Other columns surged on to storm Kerpitsy, nine miles north of the important rail centre of Iasi, opening a path to Galati and the Danube River delta, 120 miles to the south. Other forces were converging on Kishinev, capital of Bessarabia.

TAKE 80 PLACES

In the drive on Lwow in prewar Poland, the Moscow bulletin said Zhukov's right wing captured more than 80 localities, including the district centres of Lopatin, 45 miles northeast of Lwow, Gorokhov, 58 miles northeast, and Desestechko, 54 miles northeast.

14 More Jap Ships Sunk By U.S. Subs

WASHINGTON (AP) — Destruction of 14 more Japanese vessels by U.S. submarines was reported by the navy today, bringing to 667 the number of Japanese craft sunk, probably sunk or damaged by undersea boats.

The ships included two medium tankers, 11 medium cargo vessels and one small cargo vessel.

They brought to 517 the number of Japanese craft of all types sent to the bottom by U.S. submarines. In addition scores of Japanese ships, particularly in the cargo carrying class, have been damaged or probably sunk.

FRUITS OF U.S. GAS SHORTAGE—It would not be surprising if scenes like that above should become common all over the U.S. as the gasoline shortage grows more acute. Southern California is rapidly going dry of gas, and more and more gas service stations, like the Los Angeles one above, are becoming roadside fruit and vegetable stands.

First Attack Of War Sears Rumania Capital

NAPLES (AP)—U.S. heavy bombers raided Bucharest today, following up Monday's smashing attack against Budapest.

The heavy bombers struck at military targets in the Rumanian capital. They attacked "in considerable strength" under escort of fighter planes, an Allied headquarters announcement said.

It was the first attack of the war on Bucharest.

Night Raiders Follow Attack On Budapest

Monday's daylight attack on Budapest by U.S. bombers was followed by R.A.F. Wellingtons and Liberators with a smash Monday night against steel works, armament factories and railroad yards in the Hungarian capital through which German troops and supplies roll down to the southern Russian front in the Balkans, it was announced today.

The Manfred-Weiss steel works and armament factory was the main target of the night attack and R.A.F. airmen said they left at least five fires burning and saw one large explosion.

In Monday's daylight attack U.S. bombers dropped a heavy weight on the railroad yards, the Tokol aircraft component factory, a nearby airfield, a refinery, barracks and other targets. Photo interpretation reports indicated the attack was successful, with more than 350 craters counted within the grounds of the Tokol factory, while the main buildings were severely damaged.

An officer summed up the raids this way: "About the best way to locate a Balkan capital these days is to look for a column of smoke."

Between 50 and 60 enemy planes were met over Budapest in the day raid Monday and the bomber gunners and fighter pilots shot down 24, reports said. An Allied communique said 26 enemy planes were destroyed during Monday's operations in this theatre, against a loss of 13 Allied craft. More than 1,900 sorties were flown.

Italian Fascists Fight With Nazis On Rome Beachhead

NAPLES (AP)—Italian Fascist troops have been sandwiched in with German forces ringing the Allied beachhead below Rome, it was announced today as comparative tranquility continued along the Italian front, with minor patrol clashes and artillery fire keeping the opposing armies alert.

It was not known how many Italian troops were being employed on the beachhead nor whether the move means some German units have been withdrawn. In many cases the Italians were said to have been placed between German soldiers in the line rather than put in as units. Some Italian parachute troops were wearing German uniforms.

One Allied patrol filtered into enemy territory on the east flank, but was forced to withdraw when attacked about two miles west of Littoria. Some enemy planes raided the port area of the beachhead and two were shot down by anti-aircraft fire.

AT CASSINO

The Germans continued their extensive patroling all along the front and at Cassino, now quiet for several days, there was some enemy movement in the area of the Des Roses Hotel, one of the German strongpoints.

The Germans hammered the town with mortars intermittently and threw some shells on the railway station, where Allied troops still were holding out.

(The Rome radio claimed Monday night that German troops had regained all of Cassino and its suburbs except the railroad station, which lies south of the town. "Other groups of houses outside the town also have been incorporated into the German line of defence," the broadcast said.)

Wheat Stocks Down

OTTAWA (CP)—The Dominion Bureau of Statistics reported this afternoon stocks of Canadian wheat in store or in transit in North America at midnight, March 30, totaled 331,435,284 bushels, including 317,434,175 in Canadian positions, and 14,001,109 in U.S. positions. On the corresponding date last year the visible supply amounted to 429,820,237 bushels.

Knox Reports Bag 4,316 Jap Planes

WASHINGTON (AP) — Navy Secretary Frank Knox reported today that U.S. navy and marine aviators and anti-aircraft crews have shot out of the air 4,316 Japanese airplanes since the U.S. and Japan entered the war.

He emphasized the total does not include the many enemy planes destroyed on the ground, or on carriers, by U.S. bomber and fighter planes.

He said the American total of planes shot down is 921, or a ratio of four Japanese ships destroyed in combat for every American plane shot down.

Chaplin Jury Out

LOS ANGELES (AP)—A federal court jury of seven women and five men retired at 11.02 a.m., P.D.T., today to consider its verdict in Charlie Chaplin's Mann Act trial on two counts.

Conviction on both counts would involve a maximum penalty of $10,000 fine and 10 years' imprisonment.

$10,000 Given U.B.C.

VANCOUVER (CP)—Cunningham Drugstores Ltd. has donated $10,000 to the University of British Columbia toward construction of a pharmacy building on the campus, Dr. L. S. Klinck, U.B.C. president, announced today. Total cost of the building is estimated at $25,000.

Duncan C.W.A.C. Officer Posted to Victoria

Appointments and postings for nine Canadian Women's Army Corps officers recently returned from Britain, where they took a course with the Auxiliary Territorial Service were announced today. They include that of Lieut. Joyce Gooding of Duncan, who comes to No. 1 Administrative Unit, Victoria.

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Burning London Most Difficult Air Job for Nazis

By ALLAN NICKLESON

LONDON (CP)—There is little likelihood the Luftwaffe's attempts to fire London ever will succeed. London regional fire control plans to protect this nerve centre of approaching invasion are near perfection.

With other correspondents I visited subterranean control rooms 15 feet below the level of the Thames River. Twelve feet of solid concrete forms the control room ceiling—an almost impregnable defence against a direct hit.

Headquarters has a secret approach through a series of winding tunnels, guarded by steel doors. The walls are covered with large-scale maps on which every blaze is pin-pointed as reported by observation tower staffs and fire-watchers.

FORCES SPREAD OUT

Headquarters deploys its forces as the reports come through a six-girl switchboard, while constantly-changing charts show the disposition of every piece of the fire-fighting, rescue and resuscitation equipment.

The water service is practically invulnerable to bombing. No matter how heavy the raids, London firemen never again will be faced with a shortage of water. Blitz-proof pumping stations can pump more than 800,000 gallons of water a minute from the Thames.

Anti-Freeze Secret

TORONTO (CP)—Capt. J. R. Kerruish of the U.S. Army said here today the Russians "have a secret method of withstanding cold," but "what it is they aren't telling."

Ready to Fire

Here's the photo that puzzled you on the front page, retouched to show that seven Marines are in it, though hardly discernible to the eye.

Britain Pleased By Russ Statement

LONDON (CP)—Prime Minister Churchill told the House of Commons today that Soviet Foreign Commissar Molotov's statement of Russia's purpose in carrying the war to Rumanian soil "forms a particularly satisfactory example of the operation of consultation machinery between the Allies."

"The Soviet government was good enough to send the text beforehand," Mr. Churchill said. "We expressed our admiration for it . . . it certainly is likely to be a great help to the common war effort."

The Prime Minister said the machinery for such consultations was set up at the Foreign Secretaries' conference in Moscow.

Social Crediters Meet; Hear M.P. Decry Socialism

TORONTO (CP)—Rev. E. G. Hansell, New Democracy M.P. for Macleod, Alta., said at the national Social Credit convention here today that Canadians "are tired of the hopeless old-line parties and at the same time they fear Socialism."

Chairman of a committee formed last year to arrange the first national Social Credit convention, which is expected to establish a national Social Credit political party, Mr. Hansell said he believed the movement was Canada's only hope and safety.

The convention was to plan political action, adopt a platform and elect a national leader.

He said such organization was needed because the world was gradually lining up into two great camps—one a world socialist state and the other the way of free men.

"The world socialist state, under the guise of promised security, would wrest from man his individual freedom," he said.

"It would regiment man into a pattern, planned by the cunning of the world's biggest business. It would turn men into a common herd, the only purpose of which would be to serve the master state.

"On the other hand we have another way. It is the way of free men, a way which seeks to establish man in his own right, a way which grants to him his own individual liberty, and which gives him the security he has for centuries longed for. It is the way which gives him the opportunity to live out the fullest extension of his life to the end of his days."

May Force Halibut Landings at Seattle

WASHINGTON (AP)—As the Pacific halibut fleet made ready to start its fishing season at midnight April 15, Dr. Ira N. Gabrielson, deputy co-ordinator of fisheries, said in a statement today that the normal flow of halibut to the market must be restored this year by some means.

Seattle, ordinarily the centre of the U.S. halibut trade, took a sharp decline last year because price schedules becoming effective in mid-season made it more profitable for fishermen to land their catches at British Columbia and Alaskan ports near the fishing grounds.

Last Friday the Office of Price Administration published new price schedules designed to bring about equitable distribution. Fishermen bringing halibut into Seattle will get 2½ cents more a pound than they will at Prince Rupert.

Dr. Gabrielson said if the new prices do not succeed in establishing the normal flow through Seattle, his office may use other means such as allocating a certain weight of fish to Seattle and forcing vessels to comply by withholding licenses.

The halibut fishery is the only deepsea fishery under international regulation, being controlled jointly by Canada and the United States through the International Fisheries Commission. This year the commission's regulations will allow fishermen to take 51,000,000 pounds—half a million above the 1943 quota—the fish and wildlife service said.

The season will end when the quota has been caught.

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Move to Keep Bar On Negroes Voting in South U.S.

WASHINGTON (AP)—Speedy state action to offset a U.S. Supreme Court decision upholding the right of negroes to vote in Texas democratic primary elections was predicted today by southern legislators.

In a ruling described by the southerners as a blow to state sovereignty, but hailed in other quarters as "absolutely right," the court held Texas election officials erred in denying the vote to Lonnie E. Smith, Houston negro, because of a state party ban against members of his race participating in the 1940 Democratic primary. The court ruled, in effect, that state laws supplementing the party ban were in violation of the constitution.

Announcement of the decision caused southern members of Congress to congregate in little knots at the Capitol and from them came the unanimous assertion that steps would be taken to keep negroes generally out of the Democratic primaries, which are all-decisive in their section of the country.

'WHITE PRIMARIES'

There were these other reactions:

1. Predictions that Arkansas and Alabama, which have party-imposed racial bans similar to that in Texas, may have to find other means of keeping "white primaries" free of negro voters.

2. The assertion by Senator Maybank (D.-S.C.) that South Carolina also may have to revise its laws, if the court ruling stands, since that state permits the party organization to fix all the qualification for primary voters except age and residence. (The South Carolina Democratic state convention defeated in 1942 a resolution which would have admitted negroes to the party.)

3. A suggestion by Senator Andrews (D.-Fla.) that some southern states may return to the old convention system of choosing nominees.

The southerners said the court's ruling would have little effect on this year's primaries, since it seemed immediately applicable only to Texas.

The direct racial ban apparently is operative as such only in Arkansas and Alabama, but other states impose educational, property-owning and registration requirements, as well as poll taxes, which make it difficult for negroes to exercise their franchise.

QUICK TEXAS ACTION

DALLAS, Texas (AP)—The Texas Democratic executive committee will meet to consider a U.S. Supreme Court ruling that negroes can vote in the state's Democratic primaries, committee chairman George Butler said today as he predicted: "We'll find a way out of this."

The party's state convention will meet May 23. Butler said the committee meeting would take place before that time.

"A special session of the Legislature also may be necessary to change our election laws," Butler said. "It may be possible to keep the negroes out simply by repealing some of the laws we already have in conformity with the Supreme Court's ruling."

Grant to Women Doffing Uniforms

LONDON (CP)—British servicewomen, up in arms because recent legislation which provides demobilized men with civilian clothing, ignores them, were told in the House of Commons that the omission was for their own good.

Sir James Griggs, Secretary for War, stated that women, most of whom will be glad to discard uniforms, would not be happy if their civilian clothing was of a standardized style.

"It seems better that women be given coupons and a cash grant based on the retail price of a suitable outfit," he said. "It would be impossible to provide an appropriate range of women's clothing of sufficient variety to satisfy feminine tastes."

The present cash grant is approximately $17.50 if the girl is discharged in summer, with an additional $17.50 if it is between October and March.

A.T.S. officers now believe the sum will be adjusted to provide the girl with "the fair retail price of a suitable outfit on the same lines as provided for men."

Prize Essay Contest For Canadian Sailors

HALIFAX (CP)—The Crow's Nest, monthly magazine published by the personnel of H.M.C.S. Cornwallis, has announced an essay contest on demobolization and rehabilitation for all ranks of the Canadian navy. The paper offers $250 in prizes for the best articles answering the questions: "What do you want after the war?" How should demobolization be carried out? What will rehabilitation mean to you?"

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A.F.L. Attacks Wage Controls

WASHINGTON (AP) — The American Federation of Labor today opened an attack on wage controls, with an assertion that the Little Steel formula "has become an economic thumbscrew to torment the working people of America and their families."

Secretary-Treasurer George Meany outlined the A.F.L.'s case before a War Labor Board panel appointed to hear its demand for a "realistic modification" of the formula.

Meany did not specify statistically what it was proposed the new wage ceilings should be, but asserted that living costs since Jan. 1, 1941, have risen far more than the 15 per cent allowed under the formula.

"We say the costs are up at least 43 per cent," he declared, "and the Department of Agriculture agrees that as far as farmers are concerned, that figure is about right."

Two weeks ago another board panel heard the C.I.O. United Steel Workers lambast the formula for four days.

Convicts Strike

WINNIPEG (CP)—The Winnipeg Free Press in a newspage story today said 65 prisoners, transferred from the Kingston Penitentiary in Ontario to Stony Mountain, about 15 miles northwest of Winnipeg, went on strike shortly after their arrival 10 days ago.

"Some were given the so-called 'Black Hole' confinement as punishment," the Free Press said, and continued:

"Details of how the strike started are lacking, but it is thought the cause of the trouble was dissatisfaction of the prisoners with hours radio programs could be heard. They insisted, it is said, the hours should be the same as at Kingston.

"The warden said today the trouble was never serious—and conditions now are normal."

The men were part of a group of 150 prisoners transferred from Kingston to prairie points. Eighty-five of the group were moved to Prince Albert, Sask. The remainder detrained at Winnipeg.

Nanaimo Policeman Rescues 2 Children

NANAIMO (CP) — Constable Tannock of the British Columbia Police rescued two small children from the home of Mrs. R. Muir here Monday night after he had noticed flames leaping inside the house. He put out the fire and removed the children, who had been driven from their bed by the blaze. Mrs. Muir was away at the time.

Salvador Revolt Quickly Supressed

SAN SALVADOS, El Salvador (AP)—A revolutionary movement against the government of President Gen. Maximiliano Hernandez Martinez broke out Sunday but was put down immediately, it was announced today.

Quiet prevails in the capital of this republic. Electric light service which had been interrupted has been restored.

One conflagration that started in the centre of the city has been brought under control.

Tito Asks U.N.R.R.A. Aid for Yugoslavs

LONDON (CP)—Marshal Josip (Tito) Broz, leader of the Yugoslav Partisans, has asked the council of the United Nations Relief and Rehabilitation Administration for a seat on that body, according to a broadcast by the Free Yugoslav radio recorded today by the Ministry of Information. He said his Yugoslavs were in "urgent need."

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Crerar Talks With King

LONDON (CP)—The King received Lt.-Gen. H. D. G. Crerar, commander of the 1st Canadian Army, in audience at Buckingham Palace today.

ANNOUNCEMENTS

Dr. J. D. Calvert, recently medically retired after 3½ years' service in the Canadian Dental Corps, is now associated with Dr. E. S. Tait in the practice of dentistry. 205 Kresge Bldg. Phone E 1815. ***

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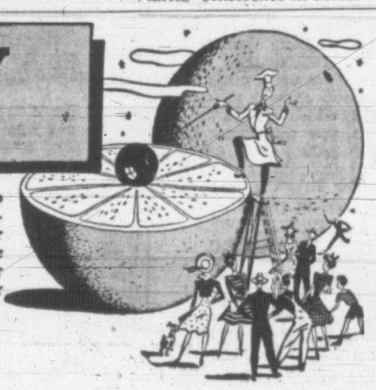

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Port Alberni Plans New Community Hall

PORT ALBERNI (CP) — An $85,000 community hall to replace premises destroyed by fire some time ago has been recommended by the Port Alberni city council. With frontage of 125 feet and depth of 134 feet, it would be considerably larger than the old building.

Presents Painting

OTTAWA (CP) — Prime Minister King announced that H. S. Southam, chairman of the board of trustees of the National Gallery and vice-president of the Southam Publishing Company, has presented to the gallery a painting by Nicolas Poussin (1594-1665) entitled "Romantic Landscape."

Revolt Breaks Out In El Salvador

CARACAS, Venezuela (AP)—The newspaper Ultimas Noticias quoted radio Salvador today as saying a revolt against the government of President Maximiliano Hernandez Martinez had broken out in the Republic of El Salvador Sunday morning and that the rebels had occupied the government palace and a number of other buildings.

The broadcast said followers of Martinez were offering resistance from police headquarters, but there was no indication of the outcome.

The Ultimas Noticias said the nature of the revolt was not clear, but that any movement against the established regime—which had been in office since 1931—could be considered contrary to the interests of the United Nations.

(El Salvador declared war on Japan Dec. 8, 1941, and four days later declared she was at war with Germany.

(Martinez, who assumed control of the government by a military coup in 1931, was re-elected for another six-year term by the constitutional assembly last Feb. 29.)

2 Naval Officers Escape Nazi Camp

LONDON (AP)—Two British naval officers have just reached England safely 22 days after they simply "walked out" of a German prison camp, and trekked through enemy country in their Royal Naval uniforms.

They are Lieut. Dennis Kelleher, 25, and Lieut. Stewart Campbell, 22, former star international football players. They said their sole preparation for the escape was a six-week study of the German language.

The first leg of their journey was a 30-mile trip to Bremen, where they purchased train tickets. From their next stop they followed an underground route to the coast and freedom, posing at times as Dutch naval officers.

Vancouver Breweries Show Less Profit

VANCOUVER (CP)—Brewers and Distillers of Vancouver Ltd., operators of B.C. breweries, report a net profit of $397,692 for 1943 operations compared with $432,745 for the year before. Income and excess profits taxes were $563,000 compared with $510,000.

Hint Further Cut In Butter Ration

OTTAWA (CP)—In view of the existing butter supply situation, the Prices Board is considering dropping another coupon during April, it was learned here.

The Dominion Bureau of Statistics reported creamery butter stocks in nine of Canada's principal cities amounted to 5,036,659 pounds at April 1, a decrease of 6,354,090 pounds from stocks of 11,390,749 pounds March 1.

Late in February the board effected a temporary eight-ounce reduction in Canada's butter ration arising from decreased winter butter production, equivalent to one week's allowance for each person.

The reduction was made by postponing the dates of two coupons which normally would become valid March 16 to March 23 and March 30, respectively.

A Prices Board spokesman said Monday night that the "butterless" week had passed unnoticed and had aroused no protest. He said the present situation was receiving "close study."

Honey production in the United States decreased about 20 per cent in a decade during the thirties.

Inspector Probes B.C. School Strike

ROSSLAND (CP)—Inspector J. F. K. English of the provincial Department of Education is expected to arrive here Wednesday to investigate a one-day strike of the 200 students at Rossland High School.

Following a wired request from the students themselves, Inspector English Monday night telephoned the school board he would arrive Wednesday.

Meanwhile the students, who did not attend classes Monday in protest against alleged dismissal of a teacher, agreed at a meeting with the school board Monday afternoon to return to their classes today.

At a meeting Monday night the board decided to cancel all extra-curricular activities such as dances and sports.

The board announced that the teacher, W. Brandon had not been dismissed.

Before meeting the school board Monday afternoon, spokesman for the students had issued a statement saying they feel "school conditions have been steadily going from bad to worse."

The statement said that one grievance was that a teacher was discharged for reasons that had been proved false, and that the students would remain away from school until told the "original" reasons for the dismissal and had proof they were true or until definite action was guaranteed by the school board.

"If, however," the statement continued, "statements made to the school board by the principal concerning this teacher are proven false then we demand that the principal of the school be removed from his position."

A. Brian Thompson is the school principal.

Federal-Provincial Conference Postponed

By FRANK FLAHERTY

OTTAWA (CP)—Although official word is lacking, it is now believed the proposed Dominion-Provincial conference will not take place until late summer or early fall.

When it was first decided to hold a conference, Easter Week was considered a possible time, but in the interval Provincial Legislatures have been in session and Prime Minister King's last word to the Commons on the subject was that it was not possible yet to find a date suitable to all concerned.

Now the Easter period has been abandoned, prospects of finding an early date are remote. For one thing, Mr. King has to attend the conference of Empire Prime Ministers in London.

The date for that is not certain, but it will keep him away from Ottawa a month or more. Then, too, Saskatchewan and New Brunswick are due for elections and Quebec and Alberta may also hold them. That will keep provincial ministers busy for some time.

In the meantime, however, there has been correspondence with the provinces on the agenda of the conference and provincial administrations as well as federal departments of government are preparing statistical material and proposals for discussion.

To Withhold Grant From Cancer Probe

WINNIPEG (CP)—Premier Stuart S. Garson suggested in the Manitoba Legislature Monday afternoon that no financial assistance be given to Dr. J. R. Davidson of Winnipeg in his cancer research until a report on the work is made by the medical faculty of the University of Manitoba.

Mr. Carson said Dominion Pensions Minister Ian Mackenzie had requested the medical faculty to conduct a further examination of Dr. Davidson's vitamin cancer treatment experiments. "We would be derelict in our responsibility if this House made a grant to assist Dr. Davidson before the report has been received," he said.

Today's WAR NEWS Analysis

By DE WITT MACKENZIE
Associated Press War Analyst

Less than a fortnight ago the United States Secretary of State, Cordell Hull, urged Hungary not to submit to the Nazi lash but to offer firm resistance to Hitler's invasion; Monday she began to pay for her failure to take this good advice when a great force of American bombers attacked her capital city of Budapest.

Even before the war that city contained the majority of Hungary's industries, and Hitler has moved many of his own factories there since the Allied air fleets made things too hot in the Reich. Budapest also is the junction of all the railways in the country, and is one of the most important ports on the Danube, which provides transportation from the Black Sea clear to Germany.

Actually Hungary was eager to quit the war more than a year ago. But she feared to try to get out by herself. She hoped for an Allied invasion of the Balkans to help her turn the trick. That is, she hoped British or U.S. forces would invade—not the Russians, whom the Nazi stooges fear.

Hungary must be pretty jittery, what with the Hitlerites swaggering about her town, and Russian forces almost at her borders. Her personal experience with communism wasn't a happy one. That was in 1919 when the notorious Bela Kun established a short-lived soviet after a blood bath.

While Hungarians on the whole have no love for the Nazis, the Fuehrer has important support. He fairly poured money into Hungary and when I was there just after the Munich conference of 1938 he already had 500,000 adherents. His early victories in the war swelled his following. These people are rabidly anti-communist.

Then Hungary has another reason to be uneasy. At the start of the war Hungary rushed in and grabbed a piece of her stricken little neighbor, Czechoslovakia. That was Slavic territory and so had racial affinity with Russia. Four months ago Czechoslovakia and the Soviet Union signed a pact of mutual assistance, which can scarcely add to Hungary's ease of mind.

Possibly more to the point, Hungary flung 250,000 men against Stalingrad in the hour of that city's great agony. Maybe Moscow will overlook that, but Hungarian Nazis can't be expected to think it likely.

Moscow's announcement that the Soviet Union has no territorial designs on Rumania (which also has been fighting Russia) is calculated to assure Hungary that the Axis satellites will be treated fairly. However, one suspects her sins are heavy on her conscience.

Allies Drive South in Mogaung Valley of Burma

NEW DELHI (CP)—Allied headquarters announced today a lull in fighting on the Indian front south of Imphal and reported no fresh progress by Japanese columns which have been pressing on that communications centre from these directions.

In central Burma, the announcement said, Allied forces spearheaded by elements of the 22nd Chinese Division, are advancing steadily southward in the Mogaung valley, inflicting heavy casualties on the enemy.

Fighting in this area is growing in intensity, the communique reported, and extends from the Namsang Kha across the Mogaung valley road to the east.

"Indicative of the speed of the Chinese advance, the Allied war bulletin said, "is the fact that the enemy is abandoning his dead in pillboxes."

British forces were also taking the initiative on the Arakan front along the Bay of Bengal. Allied air squadrons blasted numerous important Japanese targets in north, central and south Burma.

In the coastal area south of Maungdaw, Allied patrols, aided by artillery, were active. British and west African troops operating in the Kaladan River valley north of Buthedaung, cleared Kaladan, Kyauki and two other villages of enemy forces after fierce hand-to-hand fighting in which the Japanese suffered heavily.

TAKE TOLL OF ENEMY

Indian Army observers said Monday that 900 Japanese had been killed in the week-long battle of Sangshak plateau in the India-Burma border region during which British and Indian troops, though withdrawing to Manipur plain, managed to divert the main Japanese column aimed at Ukhrul.

The plateau, 30 miles east of Imphal just inside the India border, was swept by gunfire throughout the week as the defenders fought off attack after attack, depending on airborne munitions and food.

The Japanese attempted to box the Allied force with carefully laid fires in the dry jungle, covering exits with machine gun fire and forcing the men to dash through the flames.

Some were burned to death and others were machine-gunned.

TRIBUTE TO WINGATE

WITH AMERICAN-CHINESE FORCES IN NORTHERN BURMA (AP)—Lt.-Gen. Joseph W. Stillwell said today that Maj.-Gen. Orde Wingate, who was killed in a recent plane crash, "was a big factor in the campaign to retake northern Burma."

The U.S. general said of his late British colleague: "Wingate was a fighter whose combative spirit was inspiring. He meant business. His death is a distinct loss to us out here."

Postwar Policy On Radio Delayed

OTTAWA (CP)—The federal government probably will not draft a postwar radio policy until the House of Commons committee on radio makes its report and recommendations to Parliament, War Services Minister LaFleche indicated.

Gen. LaFleche told the Canadian Press the policy would depend on recommendations brought down by the committee which is studying radio broadcasting, and more particularly the handling of the affairs of the publicly-owned Canadian Broadcasting Corporation.

It is not known when the committee will complete its hearings and report to Parliament, but there are indications it will not be for some time.

Dr. Augustin Frigon, acting general manager, had not completed an account of his stewardship when the committee adjourned for the Easter recess. Representatives of private radio stations are expected to be heard.

The representatives of the Canadian Association of Broadcasters are also expected to present a request that a board somewhat similar to the board of transport commissioners be set up to deal with radio problems.

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Russian Successes Not Jealousy Cause

WILLIAMSBURG, Va. (AP)—Saying that "We rejoice in every yard gained," Field Marshal Sir John Dill declared there are no rivalries or jealousies among the Allied nations as to who reaches Germany first, the Russians or the Anglo-American forces.

The statement of the senior British officer of the combined Anglo-American chiefs-of-staff was made in reply to a question at a press conference Monday following a special convocation at the College of William and Mary, at which he received the honorary degree of Doctor of Laws.

Russian Official In U.S. Resigns

WASHINGTON (AP) — Victor A. Kravchenko Monday announced his resignation from the Soviet Purchasing Commission and in a statement said he placed himself "under the protection of American public opinion."

Kravchenko, in charge of the commission's metals section, accused the Russian government of a "double-faced" foreign policy with respect to its professed desire for collaboration with Britain and the United States and denounced the Stalin regime for failure to grant political and civil liberties to the Russian people.

Vancouver Funeral

VANCOUVER (CP) — Funeral service was held here today for Mrs. Jane McMillan Moodie, wife of Walter T. Moodie, general superintendent of Canadian National Railways at Vancouver, who died Saturday.

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AN IMPORTANT PRIMARY

IN WISCONSIN TODAY FOUR NAMES are being considered at the State's presidential primary exercises. They are those of Mr. Wendell L. Willkie, Governor Thomas E. Dewey, General Douglas MacArthur and Lieut.-Cmdr. Harold E. Stassen. Only the unsuccessful G.O.P. candidate of 1940 has openly bid for Wisconsin's favor and has vigorously sought it in public speeches, intimate chats with all and sundry, and the rest of the technique usually associated with political campaigning. In this regard he has had the field to himself; but the absentees have been used as part of the "Stop Willkie" campaign to which the old guard of the party machine has devoted a good deal of energy. These are the elements who detest the philosophy of the author of "One World." They are leaving nothing undone which will prevent him from getting the support of the majority of Wisconsin's 24 delegates to the national Republican convention.

Any prediction of today's result, of course, is especially difficult because of the many factors involved. The state election law, for example, does not provide for party enrollment and any voters, Republican, Democrat, Progressive or Independent, may vote in this Republican primary. Despite Governor Dewey's refusal to be an active candidate, moreover, many organization Republicans are believed to favor him. Lieut.-Cmdr. Stassen has the support of Governor Walter S. Goodland, who has considerable political support. General MacArthur gets his strength in the state from the fact that he is a descendant of an old Wisconsin family, graduated from a Milwaukee high school and was appointed to West Point from Wisconsin. Mr. Willkie's support comes almost entirely from those who believe in the principles he advocates.

Throughout his three-week whirlwind campaign Mr. Willkie has presented a definite platform—in this Canada is vitally interested—and has charged that a victory for his rivals at this primary contest will increase the chance that the Republican National Convention at Chicago will nominate a candidate and adopt a platform which will mean victory for the group opposed to co-operation of the United States with other nations to maintain peace after the war—who stand for a return to narrow nationalism and economic toryism, and abandonment of social advances. He has further charged that he is opposed for the nomination by isolationists of the school of thought of Col. Robert R. McCormick, publisher of the Chicago Tribune; General L. K. Smith and his America First Party, and other groups he has characterized as subversive. Mr. Willkie also has emphasized the fact that of the four presidential aspirants for whom pledged candidates have been entered in the Wisconsin primary he is the only one to go out in the field and tell the voters just where he stands on the basic issues of the day. And he has done that in no uncertain manner.

SAVINGS FOR THE VICTORY

THOSE INCREDIBLE LONDONERS have done it again. From March 25 to April 1, inclusive, was "Salute the Soldier" week and they set themselves the sum of £165,000,000 ($772,500,000) as their objective for new investments in Savings Certificates, Defence Bonds, War Loan, and through savings banks—all in seven days. Not only did they reach that figure; they passed it by no less a sum than £417,623, for a total of £165,417,623!

Last week's investment is a new record in itself; but to realize fully what it means it is necessary to set it beside the totals raised in three previous periods under the direction of the National Savings Movement on lines similar to the "Salute the Soldier" campaign. Here is a summary of these activities as they relate to the nation in general and to the London area in particular:

"War Weapons' Week" throughout Britain in 1941 raised £469,000,000. London set itself a target of £100,000,000 and raised £120,000,000.

In 1942 Britain paid tribute to the Navy and in "Warships' Weeks" invested £555,000,000 in National Savings. London's target was £125,000,000, and £146,000,000 was raised.

Last year the people of Britain bought Spitfires and Lancasters, Halifaxes and Hurricanes in a series of "Wings for Victory" weeks. This time their savings totaled £615,645,000. London again passed her target of £150,000,000, raising £162,000,000.

It will be noted from the foregoing that the mark of last week's campaign in London was higher by £15,000,000 than the 1943 objective; yet the figures returned by Saturday night showed the total had exceeded even that amount by nearly three and a half million pounds. It should be borne in mind, too, that these four campaigns have been the highlights of the savings movement which has gone on steadily and steadfastly week by week since the third month of the war. Between Nov. 22, 1939, and Feb. 29, 1944, the British public contributed in the form of savings a total of £6,883,803,371—with a weekly average savings of £30,869,074, or an equivalent of £153 per head of the population. Of this total "small" savers—as against banks, business corporations, and so on—contributed £2,638,250,510, an average of £11,830,720 per week.

Dozens of comparisons might be made between what the heavily-taxed, bombed, blitzed, fired and otherwise inconvenienced and pushed-around Londoners did last week and what vigorous campaigns produce from time to time over longer periods from willing folk elsewhere who have yet to experience the serious physical impact of this war in the mass. But the figure given as the total savings, "small" and otherwise, between November, 1939, and February of this year will illustrate the enormity of the achievement—£6,883,803,371 invested!

When war broke out in 1914, the national debt of Great Britain stood at a trifle less than £720,000,000; in September, 1939, when Hitler sent his legions into Poland, the nation's total liabilities amounted to slightly under £8,000,000,000, or 13 times as large as Canada's unpaid bill as of the same date. In other words, in the three campaigns summarized in detail above—exclusive of last week's London "salute"—the people of Britain invested in savings an amount equal to three-fourths of the national debt of four and a half years ago. And this represents £153 per head of the population. As our people consider how much they propose to invest in Canada's Sixth Victory Loan, incidentally, they might find the foregoing of interest, perhaps a new incentive to break all records for Mr. Ilsley.

'THE MAN OF LEGENDS'

IN NOVELS OF COURAGE AND ACTION authors are able to relate the incredible accomplishment of almost impossible exploits by their heroes. Sabatini and P. C. Wren have woven rich strands into the tapestry of fiction by that means. Very rarely flesh-and-blood men in deeds of great daring approach such triumphs. With Maj.-Gen. Orde Charles Wingate, who met his end in a plane crash in Burma last month, such attainments had grown into the legends which surrounded the man. His was a career to inspire; his a personality which dulled the tinsel glamour of the novel's printed page.

"The New Lawrence," "The Man of Legends," "A Cromwellian Captain" were some of the names he had won by his accomplishments. His decorations—he was the holder of a triple Distinguished Service Order—and his authenticated achievements in the field have indicated his merit as a soldier. But there must have been much more to the man than that. In addition to a keen military mind, a mind which championed the unorthodox and found proof for his theories in results produced, he must have possessed that genius for leadership which carries men beyond the point at which they have measured their abilities. That is something born in a man, something no outside power can give him. His early Burma expedition proved that quality. Over 1,000 miles of jungle land he led his force, through hardship, through clashes with Japanese patrols, back safely to his base. To him is credited the inception of the airborne commandos now engaged on this difficult front, harassing the enemy, disrupting his communications, breaking his lines.

Time will add color to Wingate's name. Historians will catalogue various phases of his military activity, his work in Palestine in protection of the Haifa-Mosul pipeline, his leadership of Sudanese and Ethiopians against the Italians, 40,000 of whom were captured or destroyed. But little can be added to the stature of the man who, living, became a legend. His death at 41 is a decided loss, but his inspiration should linger on among his men. To quote the American General Stilwell: "His death is a distinct loss to us out here."

NOW HERALD THE APPROACH

ONE OF THE SIGNIFICANT DEVELOPments of the accelerated pulverizing of Hitler's war machine at its source is the discontinuance of all efforts to prevent the raiding bombers from riding the domestic radio beams. Every hour and on the hour, and frequently in between, Nazi broadcasts report the progress of the Allied visitors. In other words, bombings have become a part of the daily life of the Reich—as Air Chief Marshal Sir Arthur Harris promised the German people nearly two years ago they would be. They are announced now on the same basis as weather reports and give warning of the storm of retribution surging night and day across the land of the so-called master race.

Some of those who recently returned from Germany in the Gripsholm reported that during the first six months of their internment Allied bombings strengthened, rather than weakened, Nazi civilian morale. But they were speaking of the public's attitude in Baden-Baden, not in Berlin, or Frankfurt, or Stuttgart, or Hamburg. And even if a bulwarked morale does prevail throughout Germany, it is unlikely that Germans can continue to accept bombings as casually as they do the weather. It is obvious, too, that tremendous confusion must follow in the wake of a deluge of two or three thousand tons of high explosives—apart from the actual and visible destruction—and that confusion must mount with every raid, however high the morale.

Smuggled German newspapers, incidentally, reveal the growing problems of government and relocations that follow reported bombings. There is the inference of a smoldering undercurrent of unrest in the accounts of new regulations and increasing arrests. There is a card system for those who must stay in bombed cities and work, another for those permitted to leave. If an evacuee's house or apartment remains intact, for instance, it is requisitioned to shelter the homeless. And the evacuee is not always welcome elsewhere.

Bruce Hutchison

THE THEORY OF COSMETICS

NOW THAT THE sap is flowing free beside our mild Canadian seashores and stirring deeply even in the half-frozen earth of the interior; now that nature prepares to deck herself in the vivid ornaments of spring, it is worth while considering an immortal paragraph from Herman Melville's "Moby Dick," as follows:

"And when we consider that other theory of the natural philosophers, that all other earthly hues—every stately or lovely emblazoning—the sweetest tinges of sunset skies and woods; yea, and the gilded velvets of butterflies, and the butterfly cheeks of young girls; all these are but subtle deceits, not actually inherent in substances, but only laid on from without; so that all deified Nature absolutely paints like the harlot, whose allurments cover nothing but the charnel-house within; and when we proceed further, and consider that the mystical cosmetic which produces every one of her hues, the great principle of light, forever remains white or colorless in itself, and if operating without medium upon matter, would touch all objects, even tulips and roses, with its own blank tinge—pondering all this, the palsied universe lies before us a leper; and like wilful travelers in Lapland, who refuse to wear colored and coloring glasses upon their eyes, so the wretched infidel gazes himself blind at the monumental white shroud that wraps all the prospect around him."

NATURAL PHILOSOPHERS

QUITE A PARAGRAPH, that, full not only of juice but of a deep question which every man must settle for himself. This question arises every time you look at a spring flower or the face of a child at play or the rich coloring of a song bird. As Melville says, the natural philosophers assure us that all the beauty of this teeming earth, which reaches its floodtide in the spring, is a purely utilitarian device, a mere trick conceived by nature to carry forward her processes.

Male birds are equipped with fine feathers to attract females. "Flowers are colored to attract bees which will pollinate them. A child is made beautiful so that his parents will love him and assure the propagation of the species. Beauty, in fact, is a mere cosmetic, with no more meaning than a lipstick bought in a drug store, and all the vast spectacle of the universe has no more virtue, principle, or significance than a jar of rouge.

The contrary theory was asserted by Keats in one of the most profound lines ever written: "Beauty is truth, truth beauty." In other words, beauty is a positive principle of the universe, an inward fact, the very nature of things if we could only perceive it, and is not a mere outside application of color and form to encourage reproduction.

THE TWO THEORIES

ALL THE GREAT philosophical struggles of the ages are summed up in the conflict of these two theories. The first is the more popular in our time—the theory of absolute materialism, of a senseless universe, of a blind life force springing out of mere chemistry upon this planet, and without purpose or value. But the alternative theory never quite dies even in an age of this sort and the sacrifices, bravery and unselfishness everywhere apparent in war are a proof that this theory has a greater virility among men than the materialist school had supposed.

No man can escape the issue posed between the two theories. In fact, you could properly say that the world is composed of only two kinds of men, those who believe the first theory and those the second, and the gulf between them is forever unbridgeable. Every man, observing this spring the opening buds, the gush of bloom, the wild delight of nature, will ask himself whether all this is mere harlotry and cosmetics or whether there is not behind it a living fact of beauty, of which this is only the pale reflection, a deeper beauty which we have not yet seen but is there for the seeing.

It is not necessarily visible to the clever, educated and successful man. It may be perceived better by the poor gardener, the trapper in the lonely woods and especially by the child who has not yet learned to frame beauty in words. Moreover, the sight of it is seldom communicable, so that even the great poets have been compelled to speak of it in symbols only.

'INSCRUTABLE WORKMANSHIP'

IF BEAUTY IS AN essential part of nature and expresses not merely a blind apparatus of growth but a larger principle of good, it is not a principle remote from man. It is part of his own nature as of the nature about him and "there is a dark, inscrutable workmanship that reconciles discordant elements, makes them cling together in one society."

To Wordsworth, who wrote these words, the meanest flower that grew could bring thoughts that often lay too deep for tears. Other men will discover the same thoughts this spring in the look of the prairie crocuses, coastal lilies and the wood flowers of Ontario. They will be unable to express such thoughts but they will not consider them less valid on that account. For they will know that men who hold with the materialist theory, the theory of mere cosmetics, are talking about something they have never truly seen and can never be seen through their apparatus of sight.

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Victorians Do Change Their Ideas

By ART STOTT

It's a dead thing now—dead and decently interred. But from the bones of Grand Jury presentments may be reconstructed some interesting sidelights on the public thought and customs of Victoria since the turn of the century.

Between monastic black covers in a little used vault in Victoria's Courthouse rest the records—evidence of the progress the city has made in social concepts, testimony to the changing times and witness to the gradual improvement in treatment of those less fortunate.

In its later years the Grand Jury seemed to devote its time solely to recommendations for a new Courthouse and a fireproof vault to hold land registry documents of irreplaceable value. Alex Lockley's jury in 1931, the last from which a report was filed, echoed that plea. The same appeal comes from other sources periodically now.

CHAIN GANG

Less prosaic appear the presentments of earlier bodies. From another age comes the 1906 complaint of Thos. R. Smith's jury against the public parade of the Chain Gang from the provincial gaol on Topaz Avenue to Government House and other convict labor projects.

Those good men and true selected to inquire into matters of public import, to check any abuses and suggest improvements in public and semi-public institutions of their time, found several grounds for complaint. Not only did they object to the degrading public display of prisoners, but they protested the fact only short-term convicts were used. Longer term convicts, they noted, might find the inducement to escape greater and consequently were not paraded. Short-term prisoners caught in an escape attempt faced lengthened sentences which made the bid for freedom unprofitable.

Similar reaction had come from A. Stuart Robertson's jury in 1904. That group decried the appearance of the fettered men in prison garb marching under armed guard on city streets. At least, the jurors thought, the prisoners should be conveyed to and from projects in a covered vehicle.

SQUALOR

Nor were those men satisfied with the Esquimalt lock-up, a structure "we cannot too strongly condemn as a place not fit to place anyone in for even a few hours." J. A. Mara's jury of similar vintage described the pest-hole, two cells 8x12 and 12x12 without exercise ground, lavatory facilities, bunks or beds and equipped only with a dirty straw mattress with dirty bed covering and filthy towels.

The record reads like a frontier diary as the jury voiced strong protest over indiscriminate shooting by lads in the Hillside area. It notes the narrow escape of one citizen from random bullets and states "certain residents fear to step outside of the house" owing to the carefree and careless use of firearms by boys of the time.

Welfare consciousness of the day seemed at a low ebb officially. Both Mr. Robertson's 1904 jury and that of R. S. Day in 1908 attacked conditions at the Old Men's Home, the former declaring the housing at the time "a mere shack and a standing disgrace", the latter criticizing drainage of septic tanks from an improved structure to wells in the district.

MORALITY

A lofty tone was adopted by Mr. Day and his colleagues over what they deemed too detailed reporting of certain criminal cases heard behind closed doors.

"The pandering to the vitiated taste and morbid desire for sensationalism of the few," said the report, "is beneath the dignity of any well-conducted paper and should find no place in the many families and homes of our fair city, where purity is respected, virtue inculcated, and where vice and evil are guarded against by proper teaching given in the right way at the proper time."

Similar moral blasts were delivered by other groups, notably that of 1923 which urged the motion picture censor to see that only instructive, educational films of a morally beneficial character were shown here.

But while some dealt with intangibles, the earlier grand juries seemed mainly concerned with straight physical facts. That headed by Edward White in 1903 disclosed pitiful conditions in the reformatory of the day.

DICKENS SCENE

"On being admitted to this abode," that report stated, "we came abruptly into contact with about 10 dirty, unkempt young ragamuffins seated around a table with soiled books in hand—a sight that the immortal Dickens could alone do justice in delineating. The lads had begrimed faces and hands—one little fellow just returned from a surreptitious outing had celebrated the event by tatooing his hand with, as he described it 'sut and a pin'."

Members of the jury found gross neglect in the institution and possibilities of reformation hopeless. Not that they wanted to coddle the little strays—some jurors thought judicious use of the birch suitably applied would be an efficient way of discouraging insubordination and breakaway attempts.

The same group found need for new equipment for senior shut-ins making little ones out of big ones.

"If tangible results are required in rock breaking," said the report, "we would recommend that a fresh outfit of hammers be furnished."

Reformatory trouble had drawn criticism since the beginning of the century. J. H. Warner's jury had found punishment there "harder than for hardened criminals" and that under Beaumont Boggs in 1902 had been advocating greater care for inmates.

In 1900 A. St. G. Flint's group declared it could not "too strongly condemn this part of the provinicial institutions" where treatment was "more likely to create criminals than reform them."

FARM SYSTEM

By 1904 some improvement was reported through apprenticing reformatory boys to farmers where such a policy could be followed and in establishing greater freedom where an honor system could be adopted.

So the Grand Juries exercised their duties, calling attention to faults here but, with equal vigor, praising such institutions as merited their commendation.

Continually honored was the Jubilee Hospital, though less fortunate was the Marine Hospital, where one jury reported in the early years of the century a patient had been left with a broken leg without doctor's treatment 14 hours through lack of communications.

Nor were public institutions only reviewed. Roland Stuart's Grand Jury in 1901 had pleaded for improvement in Point Ellice Bridge and other spans, which were considered a menace to public safety and an invitation to tragedies similar to that of 1896 when a holiday laden streetcar plunged through Point Ellice carrying many to their deaths.

As late as 1910 John Dean's jury was advocating establishment of a hunting license system by which youngsters under 16 would be denied use of fire arms in the interests of public safety in the woods.

That year, when overproof liquor at cheap prices presented many problems, the jury had suggested special wards in the hospital for D.T. cases and inebriates of a bellicose nature, who might injure other patients and staff members.

Constant were the recommendations for fire improvement. And something less than humorous was the discovery by Beaumont Boggs' jury that chemical wagons secured for the provincial jail were too large to enter the structure and equipped with unsuitable couplings even if hose were dragged into it.

A. H. Mitchell in 1917 called the juvenile detention home "a veritable fire trap."

Discouraged over lack of action on their recommendations, B. S. Heisterman's panel suggested "In view of the fact that reports are received and filed . . . it is undesirable for this jury to waste its time and the government's money" in continuing its operations.

Quite contrary was the opinion of the jury two years later when a judge voiced opinion the institution had outwarn its usefulness. The jury stoutly denied the idea, saying it was a valuable instrument in protecting the public interest, standing between the crown and the accused at trial and in inspecting public buildings.

So the Grand Juries came and went, and at the beginning of the 1930's they went permanently. Much they accomplished. Much more they recommended that was never accomplished. And today their records are museum pieces for any who wish to look at Victoria of yesterday through contemporaneous eyes.

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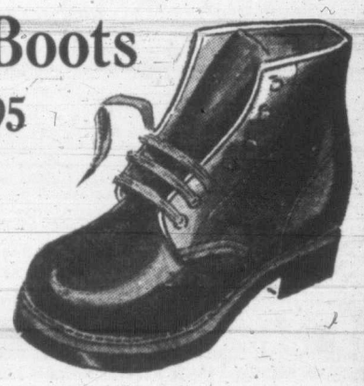

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Mr. and Mrs. T. G. Robinson, 206 North High Street, Port Arthur, Ont., announce the engagement of their only daughter, Pearl, to FO. John Douglas Alexander, R.C.A.F., only son of Mr. and Mrs. Samuel Alexander, Chemainus, B.C. The wedding will take place April 18, 1944, at Port Arthur.

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Drawing April 15 For Gift House

Long-awaited drawing for the Solarium-Kinsman gift house will take place April 15 at a broadcast supper dance at the Empress Hotel. The house, which is fully furnished, is open for public inspection at 2323 Oak Bay Avenue, all this week between the hours of 3 and 9.30.

Announcement of the drawing-date was made Monday at a meeting of the Queen Alexandra Junior League, Mrs. A. W. E. Pitkethley, presiding.

Victoria High School won honors in the crest contest sponsored by the Junior League, when Harry Bleasdale and P. H. Brown, judges, found winners to be Edith Newton, Constance Armstrong, and Olive Adams, all Victoria High School students. Prizes are $10, $5 and $2.50.

April 29 promises to be a busy day for Junior Leaguers when both a tag-day and the annual morning show for the April Shower of Dimes are planned. Committee for the former will be convened by Mrs. H. V. Bassett who has on her committee Mrs. W. E. McEwen, Mrs. Margaret Miller and Mrs. C. Sutton.

Saturday morning show, proceeds of which will swell the coffers of the Showers of Dimes fund, will be held through the co-operation of the management and staff of Odeon Theatres.

New standing committees were announced at the meeting, offices to be held from April 1 to the end of the year. Mrs. Frank Stevens will convene the membership committee, with Mrs. R. Sinclair, Mrs. R. B. Van Horne and Miss Mildred Jones.

Miss Ruth Norton, convener, and Miss Pat Pendray are on the buying committee, while penny boxes will be the responsibility of Mrs. A. Sick, convener; Mrs. R. C. McVey and Miss Joan Wiltshire.

Clubwomen

An auction sale of garden plants took place at the last meeting of the Second Mile Club of First Baptist Church, Mrs. G. Bishop presiding. Mrs. F. Worthy led an Easter devotional and Mrs. J. O. Smith spoke on Christian stewardship. Mrs. C. W. Dodsworth was the hostess, assisted by Mesdames A. Middleton, G. Bowers and A. D. Fuggle.

Canadian Anti-vivisection Society celebrated its 23rd birthday with a tea and sale at the Y.W.C.A. G. B. Kitto thanked all who contributed to the success of the affair, convened by Mrs. M. Bearse and the ladies' committee. Evanne Murray, accompanied by Madeleine Keay, and Mrs. J. Gower contributed the musical items. Half the proceeds will be sent to aid animals in war-devastated areas.

Arrangements for the 10th annual birthday tea and exhibition of hand weaving to be held May 6 from 2.30 to 5 in the Y.W.C.A. were completed at the last meeting of the Victoria Hand Weavers' Guild, Mrs. J. L. White presiding. Miss Turner and Miss Johnson will arrange the exhibit. Demonstrations of spinning, weaving and card weaving were planned, with Mrs. Howell, Mrs. George Anstey and Miss Vera Knevitt doing the work. All pieces of weaving for exhibition must be left with Miss Knevitt, 410 Union Building, by 5, May 5. Tea was served by the hostesses, Mrs. White with Miss Marjorie Hill pouring, and Miss Johnson assisting.

Leaders of the Bands

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Pipe Major Lillian Grant of Victoria, right, and Bandmaster Nadia Svarich of Vegerville, Alta., leaders of the Canadian Women's Army Corps' Pipe and Military Bands which are now touring the Dominion for the second time.

Personal Notes

Mr. and Mrs. G. H. Richardson of Provost are at the Empress.

Miss Viola Davies of Williams Lake is a visitor at the Empress.

Mr. and Mrs. William Thorson of Port Townsend is a visitor in the city.

Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Southam of Hamilton, Ont., arrived today for several days' visit.

Mr. and Mrs. R. H. Arkell of Vancouver will spend the Easter week-end in Victoria.

Cadet John McRuer of Royal Roads College will be the Easter guest of Mr. and Mrs. Reginald Macdougall, Vancouver.

Mrs. Kathleen K. Bowker left Victoria over the week-end after a visit of several weeks to return to her home in New York.

Miss Ruth MacLean of Government House is spending the week in Vancouver with her mother, Mrs. E. W. MacLean.

Mr. and Mrs. Reginald Smith of Calgary are spending several weeks visiting at the Old Charming Inn.

Among visitors at the Empress from Toronto are Mr. and Mrs. T. L. Graham, Mr. and Mrs. W. Waller and Mr. and Mrs. G. B. Wellinger.

Mrs. Douglas Bell and her little son from Ioco, B.C., are spending the Easter vacation with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. F. S. Maddock, Mount Douglas.

Mrs. Stanley Hunkin, who has been much feted during a visit with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. George Guy, Belton Avenue, left today for Seattle en route to her home in Oakland, Calif.

Calgary visitors registered at the Empress are: Mr. and Mrs. G. F. Ingraham, Mr. W. H. McLaws, Mr. and Mrs. T. M. MacDonald and Mr. Webb and his family.

Miss Muriel Knight, who has left for Vancouver, was guest of honor at a farewell tea held in the lounge of the Empress Hotel by the members of Zeta Chapter, Beta Sigma Phi. Miss Knight was presented with a corsage bouquet of pink camellias and violets, also an engraved photograph album from her sorority sisters. Guests at the tea were Mrs. W. S. Knight and Mrs. A. Cordrey, and chapter members included Mesdames T. Hammond, F. Rough, J. Wilson, B. Reese, L. Wardman, W. Levis, E. Crawford, Lieut. Jean Fraser, and Misses Vera Waller, Rita Rodger, Edna Raper, Barbara Dawson, Frances Law, Kitty Cameron, Joan Charlesbois, Marjorie MacLennan, Helen Porter, Win Elliott and Joyce Finch.

Miss Gene Starks is at the Empress from Chilliwack.

Mr. Cyril E. Harris of Winnipeg is visiting his relatives in the city for several weeks.

Lieut.-Cmdr. and Mrs. Angus H. Rankin and their small son, Michael, arrived in town today to be the guests for several weeks of Mrs. Rankin's parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. H. Shorey, Montreal.

LAC. Brian Newing, R.N.Z.A.F., and LAC. Jack Orr, R.A.F., have returned to Edmonton, following a trip to Vancouver, Victoria, Seattle, Great Falls, and Glacier National Park.

Mrs. J. Neill Malcolm of Galt, who has been visiting her husband, Sqdn. Ldr. Neill Malcolm in Ottawa, arrived on Monday to spend two months with her aunt, Lady Swettenham, at the Empress Hotel.

Lady Swettenham entertained Sunday at the tea hour at the Empress Hotel for the cast of the French play produced last week. Her guests included Misses Germaine Tremblay, Irene Goguillon, Iva Lisicka, Joyce Harman, Kay Baker, Mrs. Becky Hobbins and the director, Mme. L. G. d'Estrube.

Mrs. Robert Livesay entertained members of the Chiselers' Bridge Club, when prizes were won by Mrs. T. Newnham and Mrs. R. Stewart. Others present were: Mesdames H. Williams, R. Cartwright, R. Bullen, K. Scott and Miss Betty Lansdell. Mrs. Stewart will be hostess at the next meeting at her home on Obed Avenue.

Mrs. G. A. Creetor, the former Vivian Nock, was honored by Miss Anne Wilson at the home of Mrs. J. G. Ward, Hampshire Road, with a miscellaneous shower. Those invited were Mesdames G. A. Creetor, W. Doyle, G. Johnston, J. G. Ward, R. Saunders, R. Richardson, G. Potts, G. Smith, J. Woodley, C. Burgess, R. Davis, J. Chesman, V. Schade, A. Stewart, and Misses J. Graham and M. Veale.

Miss Mary Walls, April bride-elect, was honored when Mrs. D. Brown entertained with a miscellaneous shower at her home, 2538 Scott Street, assisted by Mrs. R. Brown. Little Patricia Brown presented the bride-elect with many useful gifts. The guests were: Mesdames B. Walls, R. Rawnsley, W. Cave, J. Browning, J. Stevenson, T. Kay, A. Maysmith, Spence and E. C. Carter.

To honor Miss Gladys Campbell, an Easter bride-elect, Mrs. W. Campbell entertained at her home on Darwin Road with a miscellaneous shower. Mrs. A. Campbell Jr. assisted the hostess in serving. Others present were Mesdames A. Campbell Sr., J. Campbell, G. McIntosh, C. Pimlott, L. Hormsby, F. Hormsby, S. Smith, J. McDonald, D. Willington, and the Misses E. Jones, M. McGregor and G. Campbell.

Miss Edythe Frayne, 2884 Dysart Road, held a miscellaneous shower in honor of Miss Myrtle Lyle. Throughtout the evening games were played, the winners being Mrs. J. Fox and Mrs. McConnell. Others present were Mesdames J. W. Okell, McConnell Sr., McConnell Jr., R. W. Frayne, S. McCracken, J. McLeod, Wm. Miller, G. Anderson, L. Derman, Misses Victoria Lyle and S. McAllister.

Miss Winnifred Calthrop of Ganges, who has left to enter the Vancouver General Hospital for nurses' training, was honored with two farewell parties prior to her departure. Miss Patricia Roberts entertained at "Wellbury Bay," Salt Spring Island, when games were played on the grounds during the afternoon, followed by supper and dancing. Those present were: Misses J. Pearse, Sylvia Crofton, Nancy Hall, Frances Lees, Susan Calthrop, Arthur and Reggie Gale, D. Layard, John Lees, Gordon Rogers, Denis St. Denis and K. Wilson. Donald Layard entertained at his home on Rainbow Beach with tennis and boating, a picnic supper and dancing. Among the guests were: Misses Winnifred and Susan Calthrop, Julie and Nancy Hall, Margaret and Lilian Henn; Sylvia Crofton, Frances Lees, Audrey Maliszwski, Pat Roberts, Joan Wilson, Jacqueline Pearse; R. Baker, Laurence Cartwright, Ted Fowler, Arthur and Reggie Gale, G. Rogers, Stuart Smith and Denis St. Denis.

To honor Miss Evelyn Slater, who is leaving her position as secretary to Mr. C. F. Banfield, King's Printer, to be married later this month, members of the staff of the government printing bureau gathered Friday evening. Mr. Banfield, expressing the good wishes of the staff, presented Miss Slater with a chest of silver, and spoke with appreciation of her services with the bureau. A book of remembrance, bound in blue morocco, containing a picture of the plant and names of the staff, was also presented to Miss Slater.

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Jubilee W.A. To Make Dressings

During the month 2,964 dressings were made, it was announced by the dressing convener, Mrs. H. Robinson, at a meeting of the Junior W.A. to the Royal Jubilee Hospital held in the Nurses' Home, on Monday. Mrs. R. A. Wooton was in the chair. Mrs. Robinson urges a larger number of members to attend the dressings meetings, when sponges for the operating rooms will be made. Mrs. J. U. Copeman reported on hospital visiting, 116 visits being made in March, and cigarettes and tobacco distributed to patients in the annex. Mrs. A. McLean reported two new members, Mrs. Maitland Young and Mrs. E. Parker.

Mrs. D. H. Frith spoke of the Thrift Shop, appealing for more clothes for the shop, and stated parcels will be picked up for those unable to deliver them. Mrs. G. Terry, Thrift Shop treasurer, reported excellent sales for March.

Mrs. G. Cameron reported on the assistance given by the Junior W.A. to the recently held tag day under auspices of the W.A. to R.J.H. Mrs. C. Watson moved a vote of thanks to Mrs. Cameron for her organization in this undertaking.

Mrs. Tullis, social service worker attached to the staff of the R.J.H., addressed the members. She received her training at Massachusetts General Hospital, and later lived in Geneva.

Club Calendar

L'Alliance France Libre, Wednesday, 3, at 1323 Harrison Street.

Central Union, W.C.T.U., Thursday, 2.45, Y.W.C.A.

Victoria Boys' Band committee, tonight, 8, City Hall. Voting on associate members.

Daughters of St. George, Victoria Lodge, No. 83, Wednesday, 8, S.O.E. Hall.

W.A. to 27th Anti-Aircraft Regiment, Wednesday, 2.30, Y.W.C.A.

St. Matthew's Guild, Wednesday, 2, home of Mrs. Jeffery, Dunford Road, Langford. Transportation will be provided from the post office at 1.30.

LINEN SHOWER

Annual linen shower and tea will be held April 21 in the Y.M.C.A. lounge, it was announced at a meeting Monday of the Ladies' Auxiliary to the "Y," Mrs. George Brown presiding. Mrs. Brown will convene the affair, assisted by Mrs. Walter Walker, decorations; Mrs. J. V. Johnson, tea arrangements, Mrs. R. D. McCaw, linen.

Plans for a club dinner and bowling party to take place in May were made at a meeting of the Stagette Club, Monday, at the home of Miss Loula Metro, Government Street. The annual Easter party at the Military Hospital was held Sunday.

The 7th Battalion 1st B.C. Regiment annual dinner will be held in the dining-room of Britannia Branch Canadian Legion, April 22. A good program is being prepared. "S.R.D." 7.15. Tickets for the dinner can be obtained from D. G. Holmes, secretary; Henry Jarvis, Fred Dawson, Bill Merston and Harry Thompsett.

Hospital Tea, May 12, Planned By I.O.D.E.

Florence Nightingale Chapter, I.O.D.E., will hold their annual hospital tea May 12 at the Nurses' Home, Royal Jubilee Hospital, it was announced at a meeting Monday, Mrs. F. Baylis presiding. Mrs. R. Duncan will convene the affair.

Mrs. F. M. Huelin, sunroom convener, reported that hospital visits were made each week and cakes, cookies and a case of oranges had been provided for the patients, who numbered 22 ex-servicemen in the pavilion.

Mrs. H. Catterall, war work convener, reported that goods valued at $52.95 were turned into Municipal for the services.

Mrs. Baylis, regent, was named delegate to the provincial annual meeting to be held at the Empress Hotel April 18, 19 and 20.

Members of the chapter will assist at different stalls at the garden party to be held at Government House July 26, which will be a joint undertaking by all primary chapters.

Mrs. Moulson Smith and Mrs. T. Lumsden, joint conveners of the bridge, reported the sum of $55 had been realized.

The resignation of Mrs. G. Gosnell was received with regret.

Mrs. Baylis presided.

Dorothy Dix

TEAMWORK AT HOME

The one place where teamwork is more needed than anywhere else is in the home, yet nowhere else in the world is there so little co-operation as in the family circle. The average home is not a democracy. It is an autocracy run by a ruthless tyrant who brooks no rival near the throne, and to this fact is due most of the domestic ills from which we suffer.

The two chief sources of our tears and heartbreaks are unhappy marriages and delinquent children, and it doesn't take any Sherlock Holmes to trace both of these griefs right back to the despot on the hearthstone who, oftener than not, is the wife and mother, whose intentions are the best, but whose methods are those of Mr. Hitler.

There is no more sardonic joke than that which pictures marriage as a partnership. It rarely is. Almost always it is a one-man or one-woman show. Occasionally there is a husband who rules his household with a rod of iron, but, 99 times out of 100, it is Mom who is she-who-must-be-obeyed, and the husband has no more authority in the house than the cat.

It is the wife who pre-empties the home and proceeds to monopolize it. Her family camp in the guest room. The husband's are lucky to be invited to an occasional dinner. Her friends are given a glad welcome. His are shouldered out. He eats the kind of food she likes, and has no place in the house he supports that he can call his own.

Langford

Under auspices of St. Matthew's Church a variety concert will be held in Colwood Hall Friday, April 12, at 8. Langford Girl Guides will assist with the program.

Prince Edward Branch, Canadian Legion, executive and members of Women's Auxiliary will meet Tuesday at 8.

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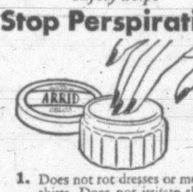

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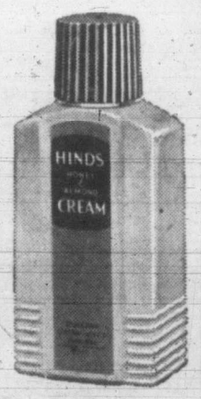

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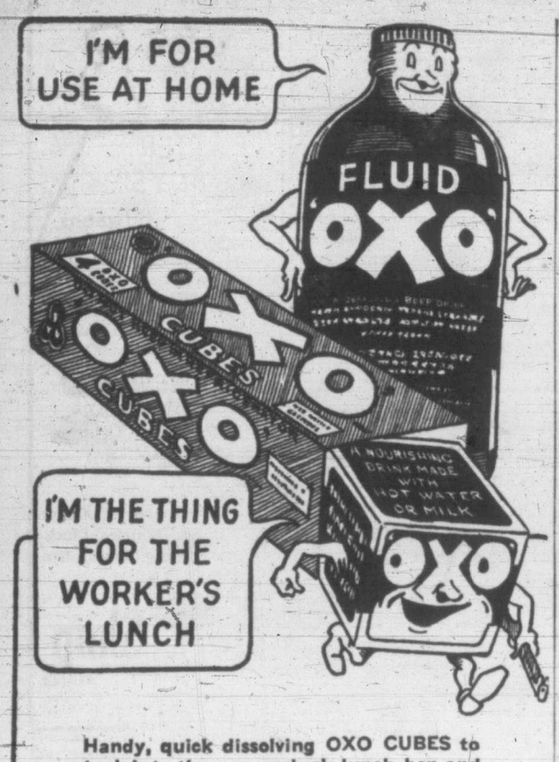

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Ganges Activities

Under the leadership of Mrs. F. Stacey, a junior W.A. has been started with 11 members. Meetings will be held alternate Thursdays in the parish rooms. Officers elected were: President, Miss Beverley Rogers; secretary, Teresa Rogers, and treasurer, Miss S. Malizwaski.

Mrs. G. H. Holmes was elected delegate to the annual provincial chapter meeting of the I.O.D.E. in Victoria at a meeting of the Ganges chapter. Miss D. Beddis, standard bearer, will also attend. Letters of thanks for Indian sweaters were receied and also a cheque for $3 from a Victoria member. The general fund now stands at $118.65, with $30.31 in the war fund. The war work convener said there was an urgent need for more knitted comforts for the services and also for the 1,260 Polish children in Palestine. Mrs. C. E. Baker was given authority to purchase $75 worth of wool for spinning. A tag day will be held April 22 with Mrs. W. M. Mouat as convener. Mrs. Holmes, convener for comforts for war veterans, reported that reading matter had been distributed and that there was more on hand. The Echo's secretary reported 25 subscribers to the magazine. The annual sale and garden fete will be held at Harbor House Hotel July 12. A dance on Easter Monday will be held. Miss M. Wood was proposed as a new member, and the tea hostesses for the afternoon were Mrs. J. N. Rogers and Misses M. and A. Lees.

Members of the L.A. to the Gulf Islands Hospital have made plans to hold the annual shower on Hospital Day, May 11. Final arrangements were made for renovating and repairing one of the bathrooms. The treasurer reported $89.60 on hand. Tea was served.

The Ganges Knitting Club met in the Log Cabin when Mrs. R. Young presided. The secretary reported that many Easter parcels had been sent to the men overseas and that the next lot would go for Thanksgiving. The cord of wood donated by Mr. Martin and Mr. Hedger was won by Mrs. J. J. Akerman. The amount realized was $32, which will go towards the sock wool. Mrs. Robinson and Mrs. Sampson were hostesses for the afternoon.

ARTS AND CRAFTS

Examples of fine Persian craftsmanship were displayed by Mrs. Ord Butters when she addressed the Victoria branch of the Island Arts and Crafts last week. John Kyle, president, was in the chair.

Intricate silverwork, jewelry and pictures were shown. Mrs. Butters pointed out the similarity in style of painting between the Chinese and Persian examples. Much of her address was dedicated to a description of the rug industry, which, she said, is the most important in Persia. A corsage was presented to Mrs. Butters on behalf of members for her interesting lecture.

Anscomb Reviews B.C.-Alaska Link

Herbert Anscomb, Minister of Public Works and Commissioner of Railways in B.C.'s coalition government, and M.L.A. for Oak Bay, addressed the Monday evening meeting of Oak Bay Progressive Conservative Association in St. Mary's Hall, Brig. J. Sutherland Brown, president, being in the chair.

The minister repeated the government's plans to connect the B.C. coast with the new U.S.-built Alaska Military Highway. Arrangements have now been completed, he said, for three parties to begin the survey of the Pine Pass route to the Peace River country—which route was announced some weeks ago by Premier John Hart in the Legislature.

The parties will work from Commotion Creek, north from Prince George and from McLeod Lake. They will be in the field all summer and their findings are expected to result in the government calling for tenders by the early autumn, Mr. Anscomb said.

The minister reviewed the recent session of the Legislature, noting the C.C.F. opposition had been very docile and had done nothing to light flames.

Premier Hart, he said, because he is "careful and canny" is setting by a nest-egg for postwar developing. Thus the Premier, as minister of finance, is following a policy of "hands off" the 1943 surplus, so that it will be available for public works when the war ends.

If B.C. had not pegged its liquor revenues and income tax, he said, this province, in his opinion would now be collecting $2,000,000 more from liquor and the income tax would have reached $15,000,000. However, he said, he was not quarreling with this, because such pegging had been made necessary by the war.

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This appeal is made by Cmdr. Philip Baker, R.N., on behalf of the Royal Navy, and the Welcome Club of the Salvage Corps will take care of the transportation of the chairs to the ships. Any person with a surplus of chairs is asked to telephone E 3413. A small cottage piano to accompany church services on board, is also sought.

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WARM RECEPTION GIVEN SENIOR PIANISTS' RECITAL

By IRIS SMALLWOOD

Stanley Shale, pianist and teacher, is to be commended on two separate scores. First, as a very fine pianist himself; secondly, for his discernment in presenting only pupils of first rank in recital.

Monday night's performance at the Empress Hotel, sponsored by the Victoria Musical Art Society, was one of the best all-round programs ever presented by amateurs in Victoria. Not only were all the artists technically sure of themselves, but a real peak of artistic interpretation was reached, especially in the final number—the Rachmaninoff second piano concerto played by Mr. Shale and his star pupil, young Robin Wood.

Lorraine Cornish and Naneen Stephens were the first of the senior and artist students presented, and they completely won their audience in their double piano arrangement of Mozart's Concerto in D minor. The fine balance and sensitivity of their playing together was apparent from the first opening bars; their assurance increased as they progressed from the clear lyrical tenor of the allegro movement to the second movement, marked romance. The orchestral melody, played by Miss Stephens, was picked up deftly by the soloist with fractional timing. This sympathetic co-ordination was particularly noticeable in presto passages where a slip-up of even an eighth note would be disastrous. There was no such slip-up, nor even the fear of its possibility, which is so often present in amateur recitals and detracts so from the enjoyment of the listener.

It is unfair to designate one of the two as the "soloist," for each part is equally difficult. I might go so far as to say the orchestral part is even more so, for it is the second piano which has the responsibility of fitting itself into the rubato of the solo piano. And this is not easy.

Both Miss Cornish and Miss Stephens gave remarkably good performances in this lovely concerto, with its typically Mozartian quality of expressing a touch of sadness by a simple line melody which is on the surface and paradoxically gay.

DIVERTISSEMENT

The second group, played by Miss Elizabeth Angus and Miss Rita Nevard, consisted of four vastly divergent numbers. The first, Melody, by Gluck, could definitely be classed as mood music; the second was Bach's "Mortify Us By Thy Grace," in which one melody was superimposed against another in the inimitable way of the great contrapuntal composer. In the latter, Miss Nevard seemed to have the cleaner touch, but this may well have been that her part had most of the more brilliant staccato passages and was in itself the more showy part.

Third in their group was Saint-Saens' Variations on a Theme by Beethoven, which struck me as being a little too mechanical and tedious; it only really wakes up at the end with a handful of fortissimo chords.

If, however, the Variations seemed to lack fire, the artists showed themselves to be more than capable of expressing ebullience in the last number, Jamaican Rhumba, by Arthur Benjamin. This composition is rhythmic and modern in feeling, and was played with just the right touch of humor.

CLIMAX

The final presentation, and undoubtedly the tour de force of the entire program, was the Concerto No. 2 in C minor by Rachmaninoff. Here the audience was carried through the most subtle expressions of emotion. Robin Wood, as soloist, gave an even more polished performance than his previous recitals have accustomed Victoria audiences to expect.

From the opening solo chords of the Moderato movement with its rich, full melody, fully complemented by the playing of Mr. Shale in the orchestral part, the Concerto moved into the exquisitely lovely Adagio Sostenuto.

Here the two artists excelled themselves. Here the music was sad without being maudlin, passionate without being too heavy. Mr. Wood's dramatic sense had full rein in his playing of the cadenza, which brought forth a spontaneous outburst of applause from an enthralled audience.

In this Concerto, as most of Rachmaninoff's, most of the melody is given over to the orchestra, with the solo piano elaborating and embellishing the theme. Mr. Shale captured the orchestral feeling of depth, breadth and variety of tone-coloring as the solo piano rose to eloquence and finally receded into a quiet spirit of resignation.

The science of electric arc welding of metals was known during World War I but relatively little used; now it is used in practically all types of metal construction.

Nanaimo Students Present Own Drama

Eight pupils of grades 4, 5 and 6 of the Brechin rural school, near Nanaimo, secured a trip to Victoria to present a drama of their own creation over the P.-T.A. program Monday.

Here they visited the City Hall, met the mayor, and visited the council chamber, going later to the Parliament Buildings, where they were greeted by T. W. Hall, registrar of the Department of Education, as well as Dr. S. J. Willis and Dr. King. They were shown through part of the building and taken to the museum, later visiting Beacon Hill Park and the Crystal Garden as the guests of Mr. Hall. James L. Borerio, teacher, was in charge of the group, which was met here by Mrs. W. B. Roskelly and Mrs. H. A. Beckwith.

P.-T.A. News

James Bay—Business meeting tonight at 8 in South Park School. Wednesday evening a concert will be presented in the auditorium by the senior choir of South Park School under the leadership of G. H. Bevan-Pritchard. Proceeds will aid the Junior Red Cross.

Victoria West Girls Hold Bazaar Tomorrow

Since the commencement of the school year, the senior girls of Victoria West School have been busy preparing for their bazaar in aid of the Junior Red Cross. This will take place in the school auditorium, commencing at 3 p.m. The bazaar will be opened by Mrs. H. Molson, an official of the Red Cross Society.

Many excellent knitted articles, fancywork and toys will be for sale.

All parents and friends are invited to attend and support the children in this worthy cause.

C.C.F. Country Fair

Proceeds of a country fair sponsored by the Saanich Women's C.C.F. Council at Woodsworth Hall will aid the new Saanich C.C.F. Community Hall now nearing completion. Mrs. M. McDonald opened the affair, and a musical program followed. Balance of the evening was spent in old-time dancing, accompanied by Mrs. G. MacLeod, assisted by Mrs. F. Thomas and Mr. Laverie. G. Rudd led the dancing. Those taking part in the program included Miss Mamie McAllister, dancing, accompanied by Pipe-Major Donald Cameron; songs by Miss Irene G. McColm, accompanist, Mrs. Frank Glass; violin solos, Miss Marie Vowles, accompanied by Miss Gwen Woolcock; songs by J. M. Thomas.

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Body Recovered

NANAIMO (CP)—The body of 12-year-old Jimmy Cottrell was found in the harbor here Monday. Provincial police had been searching for the lad since Sunday following the story of a playmate who said young Cottrell had fallen into the water while trying to catch pigeons.

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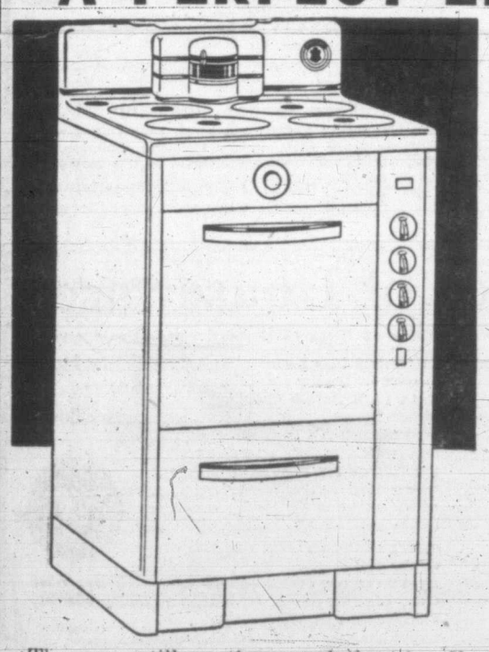

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Delinquency Show Held at Dominion

One of the year's most important motion pictures is now showing at the Dominion Theatre and is proving anew that no other medium equals the screen in the forceful presentation of the facts of a situation. The picture is "Where Are Your Children?" an absorbing drama of startling intensity, produced by Monogram and concerning itself with the serious problem of juvenile delinquency.

Jackie Cooper is starred and gives a performance of the type which long ago established him as one of the screen's most talented juveniles. But the player who literally "steals" the picture is Gale Storm, whose surprising emotional depth marks her surely as an important star of tomorrow. Others who do fine work are Patricia Morison, as a juvenile probation officer; John Litel, as a kindly judge; Gertrude Michael, as Gale's nagging sister-in-law; Betty Blythe, as the society-minded mother of Jackie; Addison Richards, as head of the probation department, and Evelyn Eaton, as an uncontrollable, wayward girl.

RIO THEATRE

Wallace Ford, popular film actor, will not work for a man who has not more brains than he has.

That's why he is playing one of the more important supporting roles in Alfred Hitchcock's "Shadow of a Doubt," now at the Rio Theatre. Teresa Wright and Joseph Cotten are co-starred in the Universal picture, which s presented by Jack H. Skirball Productions.

CADET THEATRE

Ilona Massey is the coveted beauty in "Frankenstein Meets the Wolf Man," Universal horror picture which is now at the Cadet Theatre. The tall, blonde Hungarian actress, who, before coming to Hollywood was the toast of the Viennese State Opera, is said to give one of her most impressive performances in the new chill film.

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RIO — Teresa Wright and Joseph Cotten in "Shadow of a Doubt."

YORK — "School for Husbands," starring Rex Harrison and Diana Churchill.

YORK THEATRE

"School for Husbands," adapted from Frederick Jackson's play of that name and billed as "A Comedy for Wives," will probably have restricted appeal. It is unsuitable for children because of its subject matter and its daring in dialogue and situation will shock those adults who are shocked when the cinema plays around with bedroom entrances and exits, and who see only crudity in conversational sparring over possible or suspected matrimonial dereliction.

Let such avoid "School for Husbands"—but let all others put it on their early calling list, for it will panic them.

"School for Husbands" is now at the York Theatre.

OAK BAY AND PLAZA THEATRES

Winning his biggest opportunity in his young and eventful screen career, Noah Beery Jr. was chosen by producer Walter Wanger for a leading role in Universal's "Texas to Tokyo." The extraordinary picture, inspired by the fighting sons of Texas A. and M. and their heroic deeds in World War II, is now at the Oak Bay and Plaza Theatres. Richard Quine, Anne Gwynne, Martha O'Driscoll and other screen notables appear in the extensive cast.

Young Beery emerged with flying colors from his many tests and was the final choice for the role of Cyanide Jenkins, officer candidate at Texas A. and M. College.

ATLAS THEATRE

With the amazing power, resourcefulness and variety that are the marks of genius, Bette Davis, in the Warner Bros.' production of "Old Acquaintance," which is now at the Atlas Theatre, again creates a new personality, so genuinely alive and real that everything which concerns her becomes of absorbing interest. And since her story comes from the sensitive and understanding pen of playwright John Van Druten, the film is an unforgettable and vivid experience in the dramatic play of emotional forces.

Brilliantly co-starring, Miriam Hopkins provides, in the character of self-centred Millie Drake, a flashing, headstrong vixen, as contrast to the fine and understanding selflessness of Bette Davis' Kit Marlowe.

CAPITOL THEATRE

Already heralded as one of the fastest-moving comedies to be turned out by Hollywood in recent year, Paramount's "Standing Room Only," which is currently at the Capitol Theatre, is living up to advance notices.

The picture, which stars Paulette Goddard and Fred MacMurray, with Edward Arnold, Roland Young and Porter Hall as supporting players, is shaking theatre rafters with laughter the country over, according to reports. The story concerns the rooming shortage in Washington and on this theme is built the completely wacky story which is said to be provoking gales of laughter.

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Proposes Teachers Have Course On Forest Conservation

Two weeks at a forest camp for teachers taking a summer school science course, placing of 12,580 acres of tax sale lands in the Cowichan District in a forest reserve, and requests to allow burning over land for pasture, in the closed season, were recommendations sought in briefs presented to Mr. Justice Gordon McG. Sloan, Royal Commissioner, at the forest inquiry Monday morning.

Harry O. English, vice-principal of the Provincial Normal School, gave suggestions which he said were approved by S. J. Willis, superintendent of education for B.C., whereby the "B.C. Forest Service may insure more effective use of our educational system in a program for conservation of forests.

"Teachers are seriously overworked; two weeks living in a forest camp would make them enthusiastic as well as give them first-hand information on the value of forest conservation for future years," Mr. English said. "The courses in practical forestry could be provided to form a part of the summer school program. Both camp and instruction would be provided by our forestry service and the cost of lodging would be paid by those registering for the courses."

Various teaching aids, such as forestry maps, posters, prints of forest scenes and specially prepared bulletins and books on forest matters were also advocated by Mr. English. C. D. Orchard, chief forester of the province, stated that the forest service was doing all it could in the matter of education at the present time with the funds it had available.

FOREST RESERVE

Reeve Daniel Chapman of North Cowichan requested in his brief that 12,580 acres owned by the corporation and an additional 6,000 still to come under corporation ownership, be placed in a forest reserve, so that the municipality would not have power to sell the lands without first holding a poll.

"If the taxpayer is going to have to hold these lands for some 30 to 50 years until a new crop of trees come to the cutting stage, it is only right that the taxpayer is safeguarded in that, when the time comes, he, the taxpayer, will reap the reward, and not some company or individual who has been able to acquire these lands at small cost, a few years prior to cutting and has paid no taxes through all that period of time."

C. G. Field, L. L. Field and Walter Dallimore, farmers of Metchosin, told the inquiry that the forest branch wished to grow little trees and would not give permits to the farmers to burn over their lands for pasture during the closed season. Charles Holmes, one time ranger at Langford and Victoria, said application of C. G. Field to burn over land was refused because snags were not felled in the area and fireguards were not there.

Dr. E. A. Cleveland, chief commissioner of the Greater Vancouver Water Board, gave evidence at the morning hearing on the logging on the Capilano watershed. About 4,000 acres of approximately 40,000 acres above the intake had been logged, he said. Selective logging does less damage to a watershed in the matter of water runoff than clean logging, he said. Logging on the Capilano area had not been sufficient to make an apparent change in the water runoff, he told the inquiry.

2 Escaped Germans Recaptured in Ontario

IGNACE, Ont. (CP)—Ontario provincial police said today two German prisoners of war who escaped from a lumber camp at White Otter Lake, 25 miles south of Ignace, were recaptured here Monday night.

Constable E. W. Miller of Ignace said the men, Joseph Freidl, 27, and Willie Muller, 30, had walked out of the lumber camp when no person was watching them and were equipped with maps and compass.

5 Diptheria Cases

There were five diphtheria cases in Greater Victoria area in March, according to the government's vital statistics branch.

Other communicable diseases reported in Greater Victoria in March follow: Measle 28, mumps 10, rubella 61, scarlet fever 70 (63 in Saanich); whooping cough 11.

In February there were 96 cancer deaths in B.C. and 29 deaths from tuberculosis. There were 14 influenza deaths and 27 pneumonia deaths, as well as two from whooping cough, one from typhoid fever, one from measles and one from diphtheria.

Ross Payne, 3312 Aldridge Street, reported to police at noon Sunday he had been hit by an army jeep when he had stopped his car at 2328 Shelbourne Street to pick up a friend. The right rear fender, gas tank and spare tire of his car were damaged.

Electioneering M.P.'s Will Have Red Faces

Opinion members on both sides of the House are preparing for an election, but that plans will be discarded when the second front opens, was voiced by R. W. Mayhew, M.P., home today for the Easter recess.

Mr. Mayhew will remain in Victoria until April 10, when he will go east for a session he expects to extend well into the summer.

"I believe," he said today, "that most members on both sides of the House are preparing for an election, but once the second front starts, they will settle back into oblivion. I really think those most active in that respect will have red faces. The war is not yet won; far from it. Our worst is yet to come. I hope our people will keep up their war activities with increasing momentum to the last so that the final blow will be the hardest."

He paid tribute to Victoria's effort on behalf of the Red Cross.

"Keep it up," Mr. Mayhew urged. "What we do here helps the morale of the people overseas, and their welfare should be our first consideration."

Mr. Mayhew noted few political battles had been fought at the present session. Some political sabres had been unsheathed, mostly over Saskatchewan issues, and more might be brought into play on domestic issues when defence supply debate was complete, he said.

New Portfolio

TORONTO (CP)—The Evening Telegram says the names of Hon. Leslie Frost, Ontario provincial treasurer and minister of mines, and Speaker W. J. Stewart are mentioned in Queen's Park circles in connection with the pending appointment of a minister of planning and development. The portfolio has been established to study postwar planning.

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Sports Mirror

By PETE SALLAWAY

MEMORIES of a great Victoria soccer club of 1919-20 were revived Saturday at Athletic Park when five members of that great K. of C. team held a real old get-together. Occasion for the meeting was the return to the city for a holiday of Jimmy Allan from his home in California. Allan at his peak was rated one of the greatest halfbacks in the history of the game in this country.

Gathered together at the park with Allan were Bobby Caskie, Fred Wright, Percy Shrimpton and Al McKinnon. I remember Allan as one of my favorites when following soccer as a youngster in the days when many of the great soccer battles were fought on the lower pitch at Beacon Hill Park. How well I remember a terrific duel on that ground between the K. of C. eleven and the old North Wards. Another great team of that day was the Victoria West with such players as Bob Whyte, the late Harry Copas, Tucker James, Toots Plump, Cyril Baker, Pat Mulcahy and Johnny Peden.

Allan has changed little since his departure from this city. For several seasons Jimmy played in the south with film star Victor McLaglen's team, and at that time he was referred to as the "Grey Fox" of soccer. In recent years Allan has been coaching junior teams, but as he remarked Saturday: "The armed forces have just about taken all my players."

Looking back over the years we recall that K. of C. lineup as follows: Goal, Shrimpton; fullbacks, Sherman and Bredner; halfbacks, Brown, Wright, Roberts and Allan; forwards, Caskie, McKinnon, Brass, Muir and G. Allan. Of that lineup, Sherman, Bredner and Brass have passed along; Muir is a recruiting officer with the R.C.A.F. at Calgary; G. Allan is residing in California; Roberts is living in Vancouver, while Shrimpton, Wright, Caskie and McKinnon still enjoy their soccer from the sidelines in Victoria.

R.C.A.F. Gremlins from Pat Bay are B.C. basketball champions for the second straight year, but whether or not they will continue along the trail in defence of their Canadian title remains in doubt. The air force lads will not be able to travel, but efforts are being made to have the U.S. Army Engineers of Edmonton, Alberta champs, come out to the coast for the western playdowns.

Should the U.S. army team be unable to make the jaunt west, then the Vancouver Combines (beaten three straight by the Flyers in the B.C. final) will be nominated to represent the province and they would journey to Edmonton to oppose the Alberta winners.

It is not surprising that Gremlins have been refused permission to go east by the Ottawa authorities. After forbidding any travel for service hockey clubs the same stand had to be taken for the basketballers. Members of the Gremlins had hoped to obtain furloughs and travel east on their own time, but apparently they got a thumbs-down order on that plan. So, unless the U.S. Engineers are willing to make the trip out to the coast, the Gremlins have finished their basketball playing for this season.

Canadian Sport Snapshots

By SID THOMAS

TORONTO (CP)—Planners for postwar rehabilitation of athletes in the services might well take a leaf out of North Bay's book. Sportsmen in the northern Ontario city have beaten the field and are putting a practical and sympathetic plan into operation now.

A Sportsmen's Patriotic Association has been formed with the purpose of honoring athletes invalided home from overseas. The men will be made life members of the branch or branches of sport they excelled in before injuries ended their playing days, and will be encouraged to maintain interest in athletics and help the youngsters develop. All sports are to be represented and every man given a chance to feel he is wanted.

The number will be small at first, but by the time the war ends the association will have a smooth organization that will be able to do a lot of good.

TOURIST SPECIALS

Hal (Edmonton Bulletin) Dean thinks Gerry Couture and Lou Hauck of Regina should get honors of some kind among the hockey traveling fraternity. Hauck this season was with Moose Jaw Canucks in the southern Saskatchewan junior loop, and with Regina Commandos juniors. Couture played with Saskatoon Navy, University of Saskatchewan and Flin Flon Bombers.

The next thing needed in hockeydom is a Cook tours bureau.

SUCCESS STORY

Maurice Smith, new sports editor of the Winnipeg Free Press, has come up the hard way. "Smitty," as he bylines his column, started as paper carrier boy when 10 years old, and joined the sports staff in 1928. He succeeded Eddie Armstrong, former sports editor who now is news editor of the paper.

HERE AND THERE

The Ontario Amateur Softball Association since war started, has helped raise about $100,000 for different charities and war funds, secretary Frank Feaver says in his annual report. Besides that softballers have raised money to buy bats, balls and other equipment for the armed services and cigarettes for overseas. That's making sports play a double role in the morale campaign. Referee Jim Arnott, native of Medicine Hat, Alta., is a real philosopher. The former Winnipeg junior, New York Ranger, London, Windsor and Vancouver pro player, think it's a great racket. Even if one team is mad at him, he says, the other usually thinks he's doing all right by them.

Prize Double-Header

This smashing picture won for John Rooney first prize in sports class and Carl Thusgaard memorial trophy in annual exhibit of New York press photographers. Briansan, left, fell at last hurdle of Belmont Park steeplechase, threw Sid O'Neill, centre. Mor-Luc tumbled over Briansan, practically stood on his head, tossed M. Coakley.

Trail-Port Arthur Junior Ice Stars Open Western Final

WINNIPEG (CP)—Trail junior Smoke Eaters may be the "good passing club" coach Jerry Thomson claims, but Winnipeg hockey experts will have to wait until tonight to find out for themselves.

First British Columbia junior team to enter the Memorial Cup semi-finals, Trail arrived here early Monday from Moose Jaw for the best-of-five series against Port Arthur Flyers, which starts tonight. Their equipment was delayed and was expected today.

Asked for his opinion on the Canadian Amateur Hockey Association ruling that deprived Trail of three wins in the extended Commando series for using overage Paul McHara, Thomson said it was "very fair and was appreciated by the team."

"I am proud of the way the kids came through to defeat Regina three straight. We had to do it the hard way."

Port Arthur Flyers have been resting in Winnipeg since their 3 to 1 victory over St. James Canadians in the best-of-five western Canada semi-finals a week ago.

OSHAWA WINS

TORONTO (CP) — Oshawa Generals today held a one-game lead in their best-of-five eastern Canada Memorial Cup hockey final with Montreal Royals, but they had to fight their way from behind to subdue the Montreal team.

Jack Taggart and Dave Bauer—the latter a military replacement from Toronto St. Michael's College team, which was eliminated by Generals in the Ontario Hockey Association junior final—led Oshawa to a 6 to 3 triumph in the opening game of the series Monday night with two goals and one assist apiece.

Canadiens-Hawks Ready

Keen Series Forecast

MONTREAL (CP) — Montreal Canadiens and Chicago Black Hawks, two teams with plenty of confidence, but each with a healthy respect for the other, meet tonight in the first game of the Stanley Cup hockey finals.

Those who saw Hawks in action last week when they pushed the second-place Detroit Red Wings out of the playoffs—and they included Red Dutton, managing director of the National Hockey League — say Hawks right now are about two goals a game better than they have been all season.

Hawks have tied two and lost eight to the Canucks this season, but they have been coming closer to a win each time the two clubs hooked up.

The teams move on to Chicago after tonight's contest, for games there Thursday and Sunday. Remaining dates of the best-of-seven series haven't been announced, but as there will not be ice available in Chicago after Sunday, presumably the series will be finished off here, with the fourth game a week from Thursday, and the fifth one a week from Saturday, if a fifth one is necessary.

Bill Mosienko likely will be back in action on the powerful Chicago first line. Mush March and Art Wiebe are also probable starters, after missing some of the Detroit series through injuries.

It's likely Montreal will use three defencemen and three full forward lines to match the Hawks' speed.

Intercity Soccer Friday

North Shore Coming

Victoria soccer fans are going to see a smart eleven in action Good Friday afternoon, when North Shore comes over from the mainland to battle a local all-star eleven. Match will be played at the Athletic Park, starting at 2.30, with Dave McMillan as referee.

Some of the finest soccer material in B.C. will appear here with the Shores. The visitors' line-up was announced today as follows: Goal, George Steele; fullbacks, Tommy Cumming and Ben Hagman; halfbacks, Gordon Hall, Trevor Harvey and Jimmy Spencer; forwards, Bill Smith, Dennis Rogers, Mike McManus, Roy McNeill and Norm McLeod. Reserves, Frank Hunter, George Brandow and Jim Campbell.

The Shores are running neck and neck with Boeings for the second-half championship of the Mainland League. Last Saturday the club dropped a 3 to 1 decision to Boeings in one of the best matches of the season.

Trev Harvey is back at his old position at centre-half, and is reported to be playing better football than he has done for the last four seasons. Jimmy Spencer has been moved back to the half line, and is proving just as dangerous as when he was at inside forward. Steele, in goal for the Shores, played two seasons with Boeings before moving over to the red shirts.

Victoria team to oppose North Shore will be selected at a meeting of the Victoria and District League tonight in room 43, Arcade Building, at 7.30.

Port Arthur Defeats New Westminster 6-1

Coast Hockey Champs Badly Outclassed

PORT ARTHUR (CP)—Coach Hugh O'Leary of Port Arthur Shipbuilders had faith in calisthenics and the belief paid dividends Monday night when his charges swarmed over New Westminster Lodestars for a 6 to 1 victory in the second game of the best-of-seven western Canada senior hockey finals. The first was a 5 to 5 overtime tie.

The Thunder Bay champions, virtually without any competition since winning the Lakehead League title Feb. 19, had worked extensively on a starting and stopping exercises, in racing, and shooting.

The players, many of them former Bearcats, whipped Fort Frances Maple Leafs 16 to 3 and 7 to 3 and the O'Leary ruled they were passing too much and not getting enough shots on the goal.

Monday night they peppered goalkeeper Andy Young from all sides, outskated and outchecked the British Columbia champions, and let the big line of Norm Larson, Stan Robertson and Waikko Koivisto make the scoring points.

Goalkeeper Jim Hill, blocking close-in drives of Lodestars in early stages, lost a shutout when defenceman Scoop Bentley's long shot glanced off a player into the net to tie the count 1 to 1 in the first period.

PORTS ON TOP

Koivisto put Shipbuilders ahead in the second session and got another goal in the last minute of play. Ability of the Thunder Bay champions to capitalize on breaks was shown when Larson, formerly of Brooklyn Americans in the National League, opened scoring while Walt McIntyre of New Westminster served an interference penalty. He added another goal and two assists in the last period.

Robertson came up with two quick goals, both while McIntyre served another interference sentence in the last four minutes of play.

Each team had four minor penalties, six of them coming in the opening frame.

Third game will be here Wednesday night.

SUMMARY

First period—1, Port Arthur, Larson, 9.44; 2, New Westminster, Bentley (Leswick), 18.13. Penalties: McIntyre, McKenzie, Fraser, Dunn, Koivisto, Warshawski.

Second period—3, Port Arthur, Koivisto (Sinclair), 2.24. Penalty: Dunn.

Third period—4, Port Arthur, Larson (Robertson), 8.06; 5, Port Arthur, Robertson (Larson), 16.56; 6, Port Arthur, Robertson, 18.36; 7, Port Arthur, Koivisto (Larson), 19.01. Penalty: McIntyre.

By Jimminy Threat For Kentucky Derby

LOUISVILLE, Ky. (AP)—Col. E. R. Bradley has no entry in the Kentucky Derby this year, but a Bradley-bred and Bradley-trained colt is expected to go to the post in the May 6 classic.

If By Jimminy should lead the parade in quest of the $5,000 Gold Cup and the Horseshoe of Roses it would give the colonel almost as much a thrill as did his four Derby winners.

By Jimminy is owned by Alfred Parker of New York City, but he was bred on the Idle Hour Farm near Lexington and is being prepared at Keeneland for the big event by Jimmy Smith, the Bradley trainer. In everything except ownership the son of Pharamond II and Buginarug is a Bradleyite.

A Bradley horse first won the Derby in 1921 when Behave Yourself flashed to the wire an upset victor over his own stablemate, Black Servant. Bubbling Over finished first in 1926, Burgoo King in 1932 and Broker's Tip in 1933.

Chinese Students Win Table Tennis

Playing at top form all the way, Chinese Students defeated the strong R.A.F. Spitfires to capture the playoff final of the first division of the Victoria Table Tennis Association League.

For the winners, Stan Ngai, junior ace, was best. The diminutive junior city champion won eight games, his first perfect evening of the season.

Airmen were handicapped by the absence of Sgt. Eric Walker, their team captain, who had been transferred from the Pat Bay establishment. Vic Ruocco substituted for Walker, and played well, but was out of practice. Fred Brown showed up best for the Spitfires, winning four, and losing two overtime games.

Due to the inability of the R.A.F. to field a team for a second match, the Chinese agreed to play a sudden death final, rather than the usual two of three match final.

Members of the winning team were Stan Ngai, George Lowe, Peter Lou Poy and Hi Lowe.

GORGE VALE GOLF

In the men's monthly medal competition at the Gorge Vale Golf Club, Louis DeCosta was the winner with a net 71. O. A. Trickett was runner-up with a 74 and W. E. Cook third with 77.

Baseball Round-up

Walters Ready Again

NEW YORK (AP)—Bucky Walters, who helped pitch Cincinnati Reds to a National League pennant in 1939 and 1940, but cost them a possible chance for the 1943 flag through a bit of tomfoolery, is ready for a big 1944 season.

The ex-Phils third sacker turned twirler turned his ankle in spring training a year ago. He wasn't right until midseason, when he spurted to finish the season with 15 wins against 15 losses. Until he regained his effectiveness the Reds were flirting with the second division, but wound up in second place 15 games behind the champion St. Louis Cardinals.

Bucky took his first turn on the mound for 15 minutes during batting practice Monday. Manager Bill McKechnie said: "He's ready right now," after watching batters pop up, foul off or entirely miss Bucky's offerings. Said Bucky: "My arm feels great."

RIDDLE IN NAVY

Meanwhile, the Reds learned Elmer Riddle, a 20-game winner last year, had received a commission in the United States navy as a lieutenant and would enter the service formally April 13.

Other major league news:

Cleveland Indians — Outfielder Oris Hockett pulled shoulder muscle in Sunday exhibition against Cincinnati. He will be on bench for week or 10 days.

Pittsburgh Pirates—holdout Vince DiMaggio reported at camp but declined to sign contract. Pitcher Bob Klinger said he would be inducted into navy Monday. Catcher Al Lopez, 38 on Aug. 20, notified club he had been reclassified 1-A.

Chicago White Sox and Cubs—Feuding Chicago rivals expected to produce fireworks in exhibition today. Thornton Lee, Bill Dietrich and Orval Grove scheduled to hurl for Sox with Ed Hanyzewski, Hank Wyse and Johnny Borrows on mound for Cubs.

St. Louis Cardinals—Big Mort Cooper hurled a 2 to 0 victory against Max Lanier in seven-inning intra-camp struggle.

Washington Senators—Johnny Sullivan may be pushed up two notches to sixth pace in batting order, Manager Ossie Bluege said Sullivan's RBI record of 54 runs for .208 hitter was "amazing."

PITTSBURGH (AP) — Billy Miller, Pittsburgh lightweight, was awarded a split decision over Lulu Costantino, New York, in the 10-round boxing feature at the Gardens Monday night.

A roar of protest by the crowd followed announcement of the decision, which gave Miller his 26th straight ring victory. Costantino had been installed as a 2 to 1 favorite.

GANGES — Increase of 150 adult subscribers to the Lady Minto Gulf Islands Hospital was reported at a meeting by Chairman W. M. Mouat, who added that financing was still a problem.

Al Unser Handy Man With Detroit Club

EVANSVILLE, Ind. (AP)—Al Unser lays claim to the title of baseball's No. 1 handyman and is ready to prove it with the Detroit Tigers this season.

The 28-year-old jack-of-all-trades has a lush minor league career behind him, during which he played for 13 clubs in 11 seasons. At one time or other he saw action in every position on the diamond.

In five games during his stretch in the minors, he played each position of the field, taking a new station every inning. The Tigers, who used Unser in 38 games last season after recalling him from Buffalo, N.Y., figure he will be especially valuable when they start patching the holes in their lineup, resulting from injuries or departures to the service.

War Will Not Harm Top Golfers—Sarazen

JACKSONVILLE, Fla. (AP)—Veteran Gene Sarazen predicted Monday golf stars now in the United States armed services would be back in the thick of tournament competition as soon as the war is over.

He disagreed with the recently expressed opinion of Fred Corcoran, Professional Golf Association tournament manager, that many players in the services would be unable to regain their old-time form after the war.

"The physical conditioning program of the army, navy, coastguard and marines are keeping our fighting men in the best of shape," he said. "Unless the war were to last many years, I see no reason why Sammy Snead, Ben Hogan and the others who went into the service should not be right back at the top when it's over.

"It's lucky for the civilian golfers that the army and navy have kept Hogan and Snead so busy they haven't played in any tournaments. If they could, they'd be splitting the prizes."

Bulla, McSpaden Provided Highlights

KNOXVILLE, Tenn. (AP)—Most golfers on the winter tournament circuit will remember 1944 as the year the P.G.A. winter bond tour sold $20,000,000 worth of war bonds, but Johnny Bulla, the golfer-turned-airline-pilot, will remember it for a misplayed quarter-inch putt.

Nominating that putt as heartbreak No. 1 of the season, Fred Corcoran, tournament manager of the Professional Golfers' Association, said it occurred during the New Orleans open, when Bulla hung the ball on the edge of a cup. When he tapped at it to hole out, he missed the ball.

Greatest putting exhibition of the circuit, said Corcoran, was that of Harold (Jug) McSpaden of Philadelphia, who also topped the tour in money winnings with $12,500 in bonds. His great round was at Phoenix, Ariz., where he had 24 putts on 18 greens and shot a 64.

McSpaden has Corcoran's nomination for the greatest finish of the season. At Phoenix he birdied the last two holes to tie Byron Nelson, and then won the playoff.

RING COMEBACK

SCRANTON, Pa. (AP)—Patsy Perroni, veteran Cleveland heavyweight, returned to the boxing wars Monday night and scored an impressive technical knockout victory over Ernie Williams of Paterson, N.J., in the fifth round of their scheduled 10-round bout. Perroni scaled 195, and Williams 201.

West Vancouver Wins Hoop Title

PENTICTON (CP) — The cup for the B.C. men's senior "B" basketball championship will find its home among the pine girt mountains of West Vancouver for the next 12 months.

This fact became evident here Monday night when West Vancouver pulled out the winners in a two-game total point series for the provincial crown by a 96 to 81 score on the round.

The coast team won the first game Saturday by a 51 to 36 count and were held to a 45-all draw in the second contest here Monday night, but took the series by a 15-point margin.

Dr. Livsey Wins Cup Golf Final

Dr. H. H. Livsey won the Feesey Cup at the Uplands Golf Club, defeating J. D. Ferguson, the medalist, 4 and 3, in the 18-hole final.

Other winners follow:

First Flight—Winner, H. G. MacKenzie; runner-up, Russell Ard.

Second Flight—Winner, A. McGown; runner-up, Hugh McKenzie.

Third Flight—Winner, Alfred Dowell; runner-up, A. Hutson.

Fourth Flight—Winner, R. Watson; runner-up, H. B. Howard.

Horse Racing

TROPICAL PARK—Horse racing results here Monday follow:

First race—Four and a half furlongs:
Not Tomorrow (Patterson) $4.20 $3.20 $2.40
Golden Count (Gerlock) 9.30 5.00
Ship Jr. (Claggett) 4.10
Time, .56 2-5. Also ran: Leystan, Jakajanes, Century, Kallen, Patriotic Fox, Rita Royal, Court Yar.

Second race—Six furlongs:
Orcus (Kerr) $8.70 $4.60 $3.50
Cal ito Colors (Gerlock) 4.10 3.00
Moonlite Bobby (Stato) 4.80
Time, 1.15 3-5. Also ran: Some Ad, Smoky Snyder, Balmy Spring, Lewysville.

Third race—Six furlongs:
Black African (Permaine) $14.40 $7.00 $5.70
Valdina Charm (Hettinger) 6.20 4.20
Miss Freedom (Claggett) 6.00
Time, 1.16 4-5. Also ran: Many Bangles, Windmill, Gornil, Oaking, Grace Tamm, Pilgrim.

Fourth race—Six furlongs:
Key Largo (Permaine) $6.30 $3.80 $2.80
Bit o' Brown (Patterson) 5.30 3.30
Paiturf (Campbell) 3.30
Time, 1.15 2-5. Also ran: Tyrone, Driven Snow, Bus Girl, Richard W.

Fifth race—Six furlongs:
War Page (Layton) $22.00 $9.00 $4.80
Paul A. (Trent) 9.70 3.70
Queen's Risk (Smith) 2.70
Time, 1.13 2-5. Also ran: Come Eleven, Seaward Bound, Hickory Head, Port Harmony, Red Dock, Equistar, Flying Silver.

Sixth race—Mile and a sixteenth:
My Malcha (Trent) $6.50 $3.80 $2.70
The Captain (Stevenson) 3.00 2.40
Cherry Brandy (Permaine) 3.20
Time, 1.48 1-5. Also ran: Cab Sir, Night Bomber, Jacian, Phellmond, Blue Line.

Seventh race—Mile and a sixteenth:
Tower Maid (Jenkins) $20.30 $8.20 $4.10
Flemingsburg (Gerlock) 4.10 3.10
Direction (Rudert) 3.50
Time, 1.47 2-5. Also ran: Yank Bomber, Ranger II, Mae James.

Eighth race—Mile and an eighth:
Tanganyika (Claggett) $9.10 $4.30 $2.50
Juofry (Caffarella) 4.30 2.50
Kiev Lee (Hettinger) 2.50
Time, 1.56 4-5. Also ran: Hot Iron, One Link.

They'll Do It Every Time — By Jimmy Hatlo

H P RATION-GRAM

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In Denmark they ask for "HASJE". Here we ask for "liver pie". It's just delicious made this new way. Get a bottle of H.P. and try this wartime recipe.

Place 2 cups cut celery in well-greased casserole. Sprinkle pepper and 1 teaspoon of salt on 1½ pounds of unsliced liver and place on celery. Dot with small pieces of shortening. Add ¼ cup of water and cover. Bake in moderate oven 350 degrees for 45 minutes. Boil 8 small carrots and 8 onions in a small amount of salted water until tender. Drain and place in casserole around liver.

Save vegetable stock and thicken with 2 tablespoons of flour, mixed to a smooth paste in a little cold water. Then add 1 tablespoon of H. P. Sauce and pour over liver. Cook 15 minutes. Serve with crisp bacon.

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Council Earmarks Funds For Cottage Home Start

The city's $6,000 share of the residue of centenary celebrations funds was earmarked by the City Council Monday for use in development of a cottage-home plan for Victoria's aged, and the provincial government will be asked to allocate its equivalent portion for the same purpose. The city funds will remain under the control of a City Council committee.

The action was taken on the recommendation of Ald. Margaret D. Christie's social welfare committee after considerable debate.

Ald. Archie Wills said he would like to see the plans for the project. He was, he said, against any scheme which would necessitate stoking and cutting of fuel by the elderly people. The alderman voiced opinion a bigger home might be more satisfactory and could be operated in a way to avoid dividing old couples in their last years.

Ald. Christie said plans were available. There was, she continued, an urgent need not only for cottage homes but for a convelescent home to care for the ailing.

Ald. W. H. Davies described plans drawn up by the city carpenter, W. Carter, for the proposal, and said they were suitable for a modest start and later expansion.

Ald. Ed. Williams, urging the desirability of avoiding institutionalism, said central heating could be provided for cottage homes.

Ald. J. A. Worthington noted the plan would enlist help from other agencies, said expenditure of the money would be subject to council approval, and added the Lions Club had offered to furnish and help maintain the cottages.

On the same committee's suggestion, Mrs. F. Mutrie, assistant city welfare officer was instructed to represent Victoria at the May convention of social welfare agencies in Winnipeg.

The Council of Social Agencies' letter to the parks committee, recommending assumption by the city of full costs of playground supervision, was read to the council, with the parks board's recommendation the city set aside $350 in its budget for that work on the proviso the Council of Social Agencies would raise a like amount.

The Canadian Aid to Russia Committee was granted permission to hold a tag day this year at a date to be settled by the finance commitee, probably during June. Pleas for the street collection permit and for new downtown quarters in which to store clothing collected for Russia, were put forward by Bishop H. E. Sexton, chairman of the local committee, and Mrs. Nancy Hodges, M.L.A. Both pointed to the desirability of a tag day to permit Victorians to give tangible proof of their appreciation of Red Army triumphs. The tag day and other collections would be earmarked from this city to Sevastopol, the Russian centre adopted by Victoria. The request for clothes storage accommodation was referred to the lands committee.

A letter from R. W. Mayhew, M.P., saying he had advanced Victoria's application for a federal government grant to compensate the city for exemption from taxes on city property was received and filed. Mr. Mayhew was thanked for his efforts, and urged to continue them. It was suggested he ask federal authorities if there were any other cities in Canada in which the government derived rents from tax-exempt holdings without giving some recompense to civic authorities.

Indications Victoria will be given an opportunity to acquire federal government buildings on Topaz Avenue, when they are no longer required by the Dominion, was given in a letter forwarded to the council by Mr. Mayhew from the Minister of National Defence. Another letter, from Education Minister H. G. T. Perry, informed the council the buildings, now used for barracks purposes, would probably continue to be used in federal postwar work.

Endorsations of city moves to secure lower light and power rates, given by Saanich and Oak Bay Municipalities, were referred to the public utilities committee.

Employment by the city of a warden to prevent picking of wild flowers at Mt. Tolmie Park, April 9 and 16, and action to prevent sale of such blooms in the market, as well as improvement of Thetis Lake, were sought by the Society for the Preservation of Native Plants and Wild Flowers in a letter to the council. The matters were referred to the parks and finance committees.

The public works committee was asked to deal with the Kinsmen Club request for permission to erect a sign on the C.P.R. greensward in the Inner Harbor.

Referred to estimates committee were the application of the Salvation Army for an increased grant for his home front and rescue work, from the city school sports body for $200 for the annual athletic meet, and from the W.C.T.U. for $300 towards costs of an improved heating system.

A letter from the Victoria Photographic Association asking a $200 grant towards defraying costs of its salon at the Empress Hotel in October, was referred to the Victoria and Island Publicity Bureau, while a suggestion from the Vancouver Island Pipers' Society that Victoria have the Seaforth Highlanders Cadet Pipe Band play a retreat here during their coming visit was referred to the finance committee to see if arrangements could be made to give the young pipers light refreshments.

John Day's civic centre plan and suggestions were forwarded to the town-planing committee, and copies of his blueprints for that project and the Gorge improvement were received with thanks.

E. L. Tait's suggestion for improvement in the city's garbage disposal system were referred to the public works committee for study, together with details of his plan.

The city lands committee and assessor were asked to investigate points raised by T. H. Hughes regarding sale of properties for assessed value for revision of assessments and for seeding of city property leased privately in order to prevent excessive weed crops when such private interests ceased to use the land.

Removal of old trees on Gladstone Avenue was authorized.

In the absence of opposition to the move, the council authorized rezoning of the Bank-Leighton Road corner for commercial purposes.

A petition from 28 residents of the Empire Street district against construction on adjacent property of 14 new-type dwellings was turned over to the public works committee.

A bus-loading zone on Courtney, east of Gordon, was approved on the recommendation of the public works committee, which also found support for installation of stop signs at the View-Quadra intersection, and parallel parking on the east of Quadra.

Appointment of a full-time public health nurse to assist the city health department in administering inoculations, was approved on the health committee's suggestion. On the same body's recommendation, Mr. Mayhew will be asked to request federal authorities to dredge the harbor near the Lemon-Gonnason mill, to eliminate exposed mud at low tide, and reduce the offensive odor in that area. The Imperial Oil Ltd. will be asked to give greater attention to maintenance of the Causeway public convenience, and the health committee will take under advisement a proposal from Ald. Archie Wills that low-tide mud conditions in front of the Causeway be remedied.

Parks employee T. Comber was retired on superannuation and rehired on a temporary basis, and parks estimates were referred to the estimates committee.

The Victoria Builders' Exchange, which recently wrote to the city in protest against deviation from existing building standards here, will be informed the lands and zoning committee has no intention of recommending changes in the building by-law at present.

The council endorsed a plan for low-cost housing, and suggested areas be allocated for the construction of dwellings proposed in the plan.

The water board recommendation calling for demolition of dwellings and outhouses on East Saanich Road, near Elk Lake, was approved.

City Must Reduce Estimates $91,715 For 37-Mill Rate

City's draft estimates for 1944, amounting to a total $91,715 above the amount which could be raised by a 37-mill tax rate, were distributed to the City Council by D. A. Macdonald, city comptroller - treasurer, Monday afternoon.

They will undergo pruning at a special session called by Mayor Andrew McGavin Wednesday.

The total does not include any increases in wages or cost-of-living bonuses for employees.

Aggregate expenditures are listed at $2,750,142, including $594,894 in debt charges, $25,500 in interest on prepaid taxes, $438,285 for school costs and $125,245 for the police department, as well as $1,566,217 in controllable expenditure which cover departmental votes.

Estimated receipts, including the $327,552 surplus from last year, amount to $1,310,092 in the draft.

The difference between anticipated revenue and anticipated expenditure, in the original draft amounts to $1,440,050. That is $91,715 above the $,338,335 which would be raised by a 37-mill rate plus the fixed $10,000 collected annually from the C.P.R. in lieu of Empress Hotel taxes.

Taxation this year will be levied on 100 per cent of land values amounting to $18,504,507 and 65 per cent of he $27,189,530 improvements or $17,666,694, making the total for taxation purposes $36,171,201.

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HOW FAR WILL IT RUN... AFTER IT SHOULDN'T RUN AT ALL?

by RALPH ALLEN

Well-known War Correspondent of the Toronto Globe and Mail

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They run into some hard cases. The chassis hasn't been invented that will win an argument with an 88 millimetre shell or a Teller mine. And in the ordinary routine of carrying and supplying a fast-moving army, things happen to the engines of military vehicles that shouldn't happen to a sergeant-major.

In the early stages of an amphibious operation like North Africa, Sicily or Italy, for instance, an unexpected shipping loss or a few blown bridges can mean that one truck may have to do the work of two for days or even weeks on end. In such periods of urgency and strain, a front-line vehicle can no more expect the luxury of daily maintenance than a front line soldier can expect a daily bath.

Mechanics see these overburdened trucks at their worst—which means, paradoxically, at their best. They agree the real test of a military vehicle isn't how far and how well it will run under ideal service conditions, but how far and well it will run after it ought to have refused to run at all. They agree that Canadian trucks have passed this test wherever they have met it.

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Extradition Hearing To Proceed Tuesday

Opening of extradition proceedings in the Alexander D. Hume, alias Douglas Hume, alias Ralph M. Wilby case was set by Judge H. H. Shandley for Tuesday next at 11, following another adjournment in County Court today.

C. L. Harrison, city prosecutor, informed the court he would be ready to proceed at any day suitable to opposing counsel next week. He stated he had prepared a memorandum of the case which would give the court and counsel "the pith of what we know."

The assistant District Attorney of New York, George G. Hunter Jr., who attended today's appearance with Joseph M. Gasarch, certified public accountant attached to the D.A.'s office, had prepared a duplicate of the original depositionss, Mr. Harrison said.

Asked by Judge Shandley if Tuesday would suit him, W. H. M. Haldane, Wilby's counsel, said today's production of documents in court was the first he had seen of them.

Mr. Harrison added a New York witness was being sent to the city for the hearing and would be in town by Tuesday noon. As far as giving Mr. Haldane particulars was concerned, Mr. Harrison added that was a matter of courtesy, not a legal requirement.

He expected his case would be completed within two days.

The hearing arises from charges in New York laid against Alexander D. Hume, alias Douglas Hume, alias Ralph M. Wilby, for grand larceny envolving a sum reported to be $275,984.

Parents of the pupils of the Gorge Presbyterian Sunday school are reminded of the social evening with the teachers and officers, tomorrow, at 7.30.

Pictures will be shown at Centennial United Church this evening by Mrs. Ross Palmer. A collection will be taken for war prisoners.

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Conference to Improve Public Health Services

From all parts of British Columbia, public health nurses, doctors and sanitary inspectors are in Victoria for a four-day conference at the Empress Hotel.

They are discussing mutual problems and hearing a series of lectures which will better enable them to carry on their increasing duties, especially in outlying parts of the province. The conference is under the auspices of the Provincial Board of Health.

P. deN. Walker, deputy Provincial Secretary, acting for the minister, Hon. G. S. Pearson, welcomed the delegates on behalf of the province, and Dr. Richard Felton, Victoria city health officer, gave the welcome for the city. Dr. G. F. Amyot, provincial health officer, is presiding at many of the meetings.

Dr. R. Knipe of the Prince Rupert Health Unit, opened today's discussion with a talk on diphtheria control. Dr. J. M. Hershey of the Central Vancouver Island Health Unit, led a discussion on common complaints in infancy and their treatment. Miss Helen M. Carpenter, consultant in public health nursing conducted the talk on this subject.

Chlorination and pasteurization are being widely debated, R. Bowering, director of the division of public health engineering, making the introductory remarks.

Tomorrow's speakers will be Dr. J. S. Cull on health services in general; Miss Mary Baldwin, B.C. government consultant in nutrition, and J. D. B. Scott, director of the government's vital statistics bureau.

The conference will close Thursday with a talk by Miss Dorothy E. Tate, consultant in public health nursing, on the local communicable disease program and a general discussion of the B.C. tuberculosis program.

H. R. McMillan Tells Forest Inquiry Of His Operations

Purchases of the Canadian Robert Dollar Company and the Shawnigan Lake Lumber Company by MacMillan interests, and operation of the Canadian White Pine Company, which has two sawmills and a plywood plant at Vancouver, were described for the forest inquiry today by H. R. MacMillan, president of the MacMillan Export Company, and first chief forester of B.C.

"Prior to 1942 we depended upon the open log market for logs for the Canadian White Pine Company," Mr. MacMillan said. "Large log suppliers such as Merrill Ring Lumber Company logged out in 1939; Merrill Ring and Wilson logged out in 1941 and Campbell River Timber Company sold to other interests and we obtained few logs from the new owners."

He named six other companies which had supplied logs for the Canadian White Pine Co., and during 1942 and 1943 sold to other sawmill companies. Seven others, he said, logged out in 1939 and 1940.

PUBLIC RESPONSIBILITY

"This will show you why it was necessary to acquire timber to maintain continued operations at the plant we built at Vancouver," he said. "It gives continuous employment to 1,129 employees with a monthly payroll of $120,000. We felt we had a responsibility to the public as well as the shareholders.

"Volume of logs available to sawmills in the Gulf of Georgia area has been declining strikingly in the last three or four years. It is essential that the industry do the utmost by the use of experience, management and modern plants to get the highest volume out of all types of logs. Those who can't do it won't survive."

When asked by H. W. Davey, counsel for the commission, the reason for concentration of two sawmills and a plywood plant in the one unit at Vancouver, Mr. MacMillan replied that it meant a saving in production of power, in the handling of the raw and manufactured product. Concentrating management in one area, he said, made for better management and the obtaining of the utmost out of the raw material.

"We think we have achieved success," he said in answer to a question. "Utilization of waste has been such that we ran one sawmill on the property at Vancouver with no burner. We have a burner there now but everything is used down to the smallest possible piece of lumber."

OWNERS DISAPPEAR

There were now, he continued, very few sawmills depending on the open market as most sawmills were forced to purchase interests in logging companies or tracts of timber. When asked by Mr. Davey if there was not a marked trend toward concentration of available timber supply in the hands of large sawmill owners, Mr. MacMillan answered that several owners disappeared throughout the province, with the exhaustion of their timber and as a result there were fewer overseas.

"There are more small operators and fewer large operators today," he added. "I think the Truck Loggers' Association have a membership of 100; that would mean 100 small operators."

NEED HIGH PRICES

He stated that should lumber prices remain high there would be more future for the small operator than the large operator in log producing for there were many tracts on the mainland where the small operator or truck logger could go to work. The question, however, he stressed was dependent upon prices remaining high.

In order to maintain the Canadian White Pine Co., which is one of the largest mills in the province, Wellburn-Timbers Ltd. as well as the Shawnigan Lake Lumber Co. and the Canadian Robert Dollar Co. were purchased, the witness testified.

With regards to the Shawnigan Lake purchase, Mr. MacMillan told the inquiry that after the purchase was made it was found that an option which the Shawnigan Lake Lumber Company had with the E. & N. Railway Company on a tract of land obtained in 1928 was not in good standing in 1943. After months of negotiation, he said, cutting rights over the land still undisposed of were obtained.

James E. McMullen, B.C. counsel for the C.P.R. and E. and N., said that he could not see where the specific terms of the transaction were essential information for the inquiry. Disclosing them, he said, would be objectionable to both the company and the purchaser.

Mr. Justice Gordon McG. Sloan, royal commissioner, felt that sufficient evidence had been given on the matter.

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Retired Moderator At Ministerial Meeting

Immediate past moderator of the United Church Presbytery, Dr. Aubrey S. Tuttle of Edmonton, now living in Victoria, spoke at the monthly Ministerial Association meeting held at the Y.W.C.A. Monday. Maj. Roy McCoy, president, was in the chair.

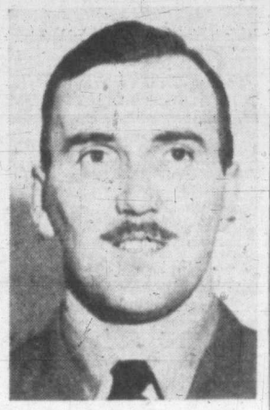
Dr. Tuttle recently retired from 25 years' principalship of St. Stephen's, the Edmonton theological college of the United Church of Canada affiliated with the University of Alberta. He spoke on the theology and Christian experience of the cross of Christ.

With Our Servicemen

By DICK FREEMAN

PO. Rex Jackson, R.C.A.F., son of Mr. and Mrs. I. W. F. Jackson, 612 Battery, recently listed as missing while on air operations over enemy territory, is believed to be a prisoner of war in Germany. Since receiving first notification that their son was missing, Mr. and Mrs. Jackson had a further wire from air force headquarters at Ottawa advising them that a Berlin radio announcement reported he was a prisoner of war. They were asked to accept the latter report with reserve . . . Rex is a brother of **PO. Stan (Busher) Jackson,** R.C.A.F., well-known member of the Dominoes basketball team, who Feb. 25, graduated and won his commission at Portage la Prarie. Another brother, **PO. Allan Jackson,** R.C.N.R., is serving in the Canadian navy on the east coast.

Lieut. Peter Coleridge Pearce, Canadian Infantry Corps, has volunteered for service with the British Army on loan from the Canadian Army. He was born in Victoria April 15, 1920, and prior to the war he was a bank teller. His wife, Mrs. Barbara A. Pearce, lives at 1795 Rockland, and they have a daughter, Sandra Helen, seven months old.



Lieut. Albert George Anderson, Canadian Infantry Corps, has volunteered for service with the British Army on loan. He has a brother serving with the R.A.F. and a sister in the nursing service, R.C.A.M.C. His wife, Mrs. Helen Anderson, lives at 1122 Meares Street.

Mrs. P. J. Hill, 824 Ellery, has been officially advised that her son, **Pte. Gordon Thomas Hill,** P.P.C.L.I. sniper and scout on the Italian front, was wounded in action March 24. Gordon was born in Esquimalt, educated at Lampson and Esquimalt High schools. He served three years with 1st Bn. Canadian Scottish, taking his discharge in June, 1939. Employed at H.M.C. Dockyard (engineer's branch) he joined the Princess Pats in October, 1939, arrived in England following December. He took part in all engagements in Sicily and Italy with the 8th Army. While in London in 1942 he was married to Elizabeth Coles, an English girl. His wife and their young daughter, whom he has not seen, reside in London.

Capt. G. R. L. Curwen, R.C.A.S.C., who graduated from O.T.C. at Gordon Head in 1942, has been promoted from a lieutenancy overseas.

PO. J. F. (Fred) Judiesch, R.C.A.F., second son of Mr. and Mrs. T. C. Judiesch, 102 Moss, has won his commission overseas. As a sergeant-pilot he has a record of 15 operational flights over Europe, including three heavy raids on Berlin. Born in Milesone, Sask., Judiesch, 24, came to Victoria with his parents several years ago. He enlisted in 1941, graduated at Dauphin, Man., in Dec., 1942, went overseas the following Jan. An elder brother, **Sft. W. A. G. Clarence Judiesch,** R.C.A.F., has been missing since Feb. last year.

Shot down over Germany last September, **Sgt. Tommy Mackay,** R.C.A.F., was captured by the Nazis, sent to prisoner of war camp in the Reich. Writing a card to his father, received March 8, Tommy wanted to be remembered to the boys of V.M.D., where he was on costing department staff before joining the air force. The card, published in the V.M.D. Convoy, plus a few other nice things about the red-headed air gunner, read: "Dear Dad—Received your card today. Sure glad to get it. Everything O.K. here, so no need to worry. See you soon. Give my regards to the V.M.D. gang. Love, Tom."

Lieut. Leon Edward Hall, Canadian Infantry Corps, has volunteered for service with the British Army on loan from Canada. He was born here Oct. 19, 1920, and was a student prior to enlisting on Sept. 8, 1939. His mother, Mrs. E. A. Hall, lives at 424 Kipling.

Sgt. Wallace Jeune, R.C.A.F. air gunner, is spending leave with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. H. H. Jeune, 1860 Ernest Avenue. Wally, who celebrated his 19th birthday this month, received his A G wing at 10 B and G, Mount Pleasant, P.E.I. He will go to Three Rivers, Que., for a commando training course. Wally brought home the skeet champion shield for marksmanship. Credit for that, he says, belongs to his old friend and instructor, Walter Kempton, who taught him range shooting from the age of 12.

Court of Appeal

The spring sitting of the Court of Appeal will open Tuesday morning at 11.

So far, officials reported, the list is light. It will close Thursday evening.

The coming session will be the first in Victoria at which Mr. Justice Sidney Smith, recently elevated to the appellate division, will sit.

Magistrate Reprimands Absentee Reservist

George L. Taylor, charged with failing to attend military parades, was found guilty and given the option of paying a $5 fine or going to jail for two days.

Magistrate Henry C. Hall admonishing, remarking on the fact that Taylor was nearly 19, reminded him there were many young men around his age who were devoting their whole time to the service of their country under extremely dangerous conditions.

Magistrate Hall suggested to Taylor it would not take much effort for him to do a small share, at least, and attend parades with the Reserve Army with regularity.

McKenna Prosecutor At Assizes Tuesday

Chief Justice Wendell Farris, at present sitting in Supreme Court here, is expected to preside over Victoria's Spring Assizes starting next Tuesday morning at 11, it was learned at the Court House today. Joseph McKenna has been named prosecutor.

Seven cases have been listed, two of them carried over from the fall assizes. In the latter two, Herbert Bruce faces trial on a statutory offence charge and Johnny Hong on one of living in part on the avails of prostitution.

Other cases included those of John C. Mutch, charged with attempted procuring; Bobby Carlow, attempted carnal knowledge; Henry Eng, theft; Frank Medler, theft, and Norman T. Jones, indecent assault.

In Police Court

Karl Abraham Ray, proprietor of the Westholme Hotel, was found guilty of failing to display, in a conspicuous manner, a maximum rate card as required by the Wartime Prices and Trade Board. Magistrate Hall, who heard the case, will give the sentence after hearing another charge of making false statements or rates charged which has been remanded to April 11. A third charge of collecting higher rates than allowed by the W.P.T.B. was dismissed after the hearing ran into its second day today. A fourth charge of failing to apply to the Hotel Rates Committee to fix rates was withdrawn.

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Reserve Units Will Camp at Gordon Head

Reserve units will go into camp at Gordon Head during June, July and August, it was announced by military authorities here today. Dates and units affected are: April 27 to May 11—U.B.C. contingent, C.O.T.C. June 4 to 18—2nd (R) Bn. Seaforth Highlanders and 11th Divisional R.C.A.S.C. June 18 to July 2—2nd (R) Bn. B.C. Regiment, D.C.O.R., 111th Infantry (R) Company, Veterans Guard of Canada, and 11th (R) Divisional Ordnance Workshops, R.C.O.C. July 2 to 16—2nd (R) Bn. Irish Fusiliers (V.R.), 110th Infantry (R) Company, Veterans' Guard of Canada, half of No. 2 group, No. 11 (R) Divisional Ordnance Workshops, R.C.O.R., and 11th (R) District Stores Section, R.C.O.C. July 16 to 30—2nd (R) Bn. Westminster Regiment, 113th Infantry (R) Company, Veterans' Guard of Canada, No. 1 (R) Fortress Workshops, R.C.O.C., 13th (R) Field Ambulance, R.C.A.M.C., and E and J sections (R) Fortress Signal Company, R.C.C.S. July 30 to Aug. 13—3rd (R) Bn. Canadian Scottish Regiment (M.G.), 114th Infantry (R) Company, Veterans' Guard of Canada, 1st (R) Prince Rupert Regiment, half of No. 2 group, No. 11 (R) Divisional Ordnance Workshops, R.C.O.C.

All artillery units will go into camp at Boundary Bay from July 16 to 30.

Repair Contracts

The city school board Monday evening awarded the contract for interior decorating at Sir James Douglas School to the B.C. Decorators at a price of $2,400 and accepted the Canadian Western Woodworkers Ltd., bid of $600 for new cupboards there.

Parfitt Construction Co. Ltd. was given the contract to supply window safety bolts to all schools at a cost of $1,339.60 and to lay a finished fir floor in the Technical Unit at Victoria High School at a cost of $876.25.

Brock Robertson's tender to reshingle the George Jay Annex roof for $286 and the biology lab. roof at Victoria College for $375 was accepted, and Carter, Halls Aldinger Co. Ltd., was given the contract to resurface basketball and tennis courts at Victoria West for $725.

NOT ST. CHRISTOPHER'S PUPILS

Children pictured presenting a quilt at Aid to Russia Headquarters, 2006 Oak Bay Avenue, in Monday's Times, are pupils of Victoria Nursery School and not St. Christopher's School.

All Japanese Ships Caught at Palau Sunk Or Damaged

WASHINGTON (AP) — All Japanese ships caught at anchor at Palau, Woleai and Yap were sunk or damaged by a U.S. task force which raided those enemy Pacific bases, Navy Secretary Frank Knox reported today.

The Secretary, at a press conference, said there was no way to estimate the number of ships caught in the anchorages. In addition to those hit in the lagoons, he said one Japanese warship was sunk near Palau and two near Woleai.

The Secretary's mention of Woleai and Yap was the first disclosure that the powerful task force, hitting in Japanese Caroline Island territory, had struck those two points. Woleai has an unusually good anchorage. Yap, another Japanese base, has been used principally as a communications centre.

3-DAY SORTIE

Knox said first reports of the attack, which began March 30 and continued through April 1, indicated airplane losses were eight fighter planes, 11 bombers and eight torpedo bombers. There was no indication in original reports of any damage to the U.S. warships.

JAP SHIPS FLED

The original reports from the Pacific fleet of the blow at Palau had told of Japanese ships fleeing to the westward, toward the Philippine islands, after the U.S. task force had struck.

Knox said only meagre details had been received so far because of the necessity of maintaining radio silence until the task force has completed its mission. However, he expressed belief additional information may be forthcoming shortly.

Victorians renting apartments or rooms in excess of two were advised by the city trades license collector today special fees of 50 cents a room each six months must be paid to the city. Those failing to meet the charge are liable to a fine not exceeding $100.

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6 ..	3.14	7.6	8.16	5.4	13.30	6.9	19.59	3.9

Announcements

BIRTHS

WORTHINGTON—To L.Sgt. Henry and Matty Worthington, The Old Downs, Burpham, Sussex, England, on April 1, 1944, a daughter. (Grandparents, Alderman and Mrs. John A. Worthington.)

DEATHS

COLES—At St. Joseph's Hospital on April 3, 1944, Sgt.-Maj. Frank Coles of 701 Craigflower Road, aged 89 years; born in Croydon, England, and had resided in Victoria for the last 14 years. The late Sgt.-Maj. Coles is survived by his widow, Ellen; five sons and three daughters; also his cousin, Alice Dumbrill of 701 Craigflower Road. He formerly served with the 20th Hussars and was a member of Britannia Branch, Canadian Legion.
Funeral services will be held at McCall Bros.' Floral Funeral Chapel on Thursday afternoon at 3.30, Ven. Archdeacon A. E. de L. Nunns officiating, assisted by Rev. George Biddle, followed by interment at Colwood Burial Park.

COOPER—At Sidney, B.C., on April 3, 1944, Jane Buchanan, beloved wife of Herbert W. Cooper, aged 61 years, of Wain Road, Colwood; born in Glasgow, Scotland, and a resident of this province for 22 years. Besides her husband, she leaves two sons, Herbert and Stanley, both in Victoria; one daughter, Mrs. C. Cameron, Victoria; four brothers, John Kiers in Toronto, William Kiers of London, England, Robert Kiers in Vancouver and Edward Kiers in Victoria; also one sister, Mrs. E. Maine, in Victoria.
Funeral from Hayward's B.C. Funeral Chapel on Wednesday at 3 p.m., Rev. G. O. Adams officiating. Interment in Colwood Burial Park.

DOCKING—At St. Joseph's Hospital on April 2, 1944, Jesse Warren Docking of 2942 Orillia Street, aged 68 years; born in Ontario and had resided in Greater Victoria for the last 14 years. The late Mr. Docking is survived by his widow, Mabel; one brother, Nelson of Talmage, Sask.; several nephews and nieces in Saskatchewan and one nephew at Mitchell, Ont. He was an elder of Centennial United Church.
Funeral services will be held at Centennial United Church on Wednesday afternoon at 3 o'clock, Rev. John Turner officiating, followed by interment at Colwood Burial Park. McCall Bros. in charge of arrangements.

HAMMOND—Suddenly at the Royal Jubilee Hospital on Sunday, April 2, there passed away as the result of an accident, Frank Henry Hammond of 2441 Willows Road. The late Mr. Hammond, who was 46 years of age, was born in England and had resided in this city for the last three years. He leaves in sorrow his wife, Betty; one daughter, Patricia, and a son, Walter, at the family residence; his parents, Mr. and Mrs. F. H. Hammond, Cardiff, Wales; also two sisters.
Funeral services will be conducted Wednesday afternoon at 2 o'clock from the parlors of the S. J. Curry & Son Funeral Home. Canon P. A. P. Chadwick will officiate and interment will take place in the Colwood Burial Park.

JACK—On April 2, 1944, at St. Joseph's Hospital, Clarw Jack, beloved wife of Archie Jack of Saanich, aged 32 years; born in Saanich.
The remains are resting in Hayward's B.C. Funeral Chapel and funeral will be held on Wednesday at Assumption Church, Saanich, at 10 a.m., Rev. Father Lauzon celebrating requiem mass. Interment in Catholic Cemetery.

LUCKOVICH—The death occurred at his residence, at Shawnigan Lake, B.C., on Monday, April 3, 1944, of Mr. Anton Luckovich, in his 83rd year. He is survived by his wife, Kate, at the family residence; also five sons, Felix and Bertrand, Granite Bay; Edwin, Salkum, Wash.; Gus, Seattle, Wash.; Bill, Tofino, B.C.; seven daughters, Mrs. Hugh Pengo, Everett, Wash.; Mrs. Irene Johnson, San Francisco; Mrs. Josephine Linskill, Mrs. Kathleen McArthur and Mrs. Thelma Wells, all of Victoria; Mrs. Margaret Davidson, Shawnigan, and Miss Anita, at home. There are also several grandchildren and great-grandchildren that survive.
The funeral arrangements will be announced later.

MILNE—At Jubilee Hospital on April 1, 1944, George Brown Milne of 1330 Slater Street, aged 80 years; born in Barre, Vermont, U.S.A., and had resided in Victoria for the last 32 years. The late Mr. Milne is survived by his widow, Dorothy; one daughter, Marjorie; his mother, Mrs. J. Milne of 1138 Chapman Street; also two brothers, James of San Francisco and Arthur of Seattle, and one sister, Mrs. Peter McKay of Ladysmith, V.I.
Funeral services will be held in McCall Bros.' Floral Funeral Chapel on Wednesday afternoon at 1.30 o'clock, Rev. J. L. W. McLean, minister of St. Andrew's Presbyterian Church, will conduct the service, after which interment will be in Colwood Burial Park.

SIMMONS—At St. Joseph's Hospital on April 3, 1944, Gladys Blanche, beloved wife of Richard H. Simmons, of 446 Linden Avenue, aged 54 years; born in Bath, England, and a resident of Victoria for 36 years. Besides her husband, she leaves two daughters, Mrs. H. E. Haynes and Mrs. L. C. Fritsch, in Victoria; three sisters, Mrs. O. C. Noakes and Mrs. J. D. O'Toole, in Victoria, and Mrs. C. E. Lambeth, in England.
Funeral from Hayward's B.C. Funeral Chapel on Wednesday at 10.15 a.m., Very Rev. S. H. Elliott, Dean of Columbia, officiating. Interment in Colwood Burial Park.

SLUGGETT—There passed away on Sunday, April 2, at the Royal Jubilee Hospital, the infant son of C.P.O. and Mrs. Clarence Sluggett, who was aged seven days. He leaves to sorrow his parents; also his grandparents, Capt. and Mrs. Geo. A. MacFarlane of 145 Island Highway, and Mr. and Mrs. Fred Sluggett of Brentwood Bay.
Private funeral services were held at McCall Bros.' Funeral Parlors. Interment at Royal Oak Burial Park.

FUNERAL

BAYLISS—The funeral of the late Mrs. Louisa E. N. Bayliss took place Friday afternoon at 3 from Sands Mortuary. Five grandsons and Mr. J. B. Stewart acted as pallbearers. The late Mrs. Bayliss was a member of Court Maple Leaf, A.O.F. Many friends attended and beautiful flowers were received. Interment took place in the family plot at Ross Bay Cemetery.

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The family of the late Mrs. Louisa Bayliss wish to extend their sincere thanks to all their kind friends, to the officers and members of Court Maple Leaf, A.O.F., for their messages of sympathy in the loss of a loving mother, also to Dr. McNiven, the sisters and nurses of St. Joseph's Hospital for their loving care.

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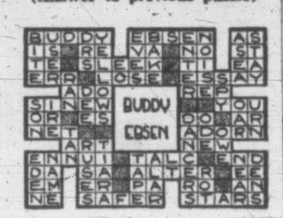
HORIZONTAL
1, 6 Pictured U.S. military leader, Lt.-Gen. ——
12 Compound ether
13 Symbol for iron
15 Confection
16 Gorillas
17 Turkish coin
19 Heap
20 Color
21 Most dreadful
23 In the middle (comb. form)
24 Gibbon
26 Narrow inlet
28 Strass
30 Catcher of eels
33 Area measure
34 Virginia (abbr.)
35 Billiard shot
38 Giant
41 Dutch city
42 Prevaricate
43 Sprite
45 Deduction
50 Article
53 European herb
55 Short letter
56 Fish
57 Prince
59 Lett river
60 Cubic meter
61 He was with the Vera Cruz, —— army of occupation in 1914
62 Arid

VERTICAL
1 Conduct
2 Discern
3 Hardens
4 French plural article
5 Symbol for erbium
7 Crown clerk (abbr.)
8 Short sleep
9 Beast
10 Unoccupied
11 Cereal grains
13 Evergreen
14 Before
17 Decigram
18 Like
21 Visionary
22 Type of bridge
25 Near
27 Id est (abbr.)
28 Moccasin
29 Constellation
31 Uncle Tom's friend
32 Hastened
36 Directed back
37 Alleged force
39 Two (Roman)
40 Confine for grazing
43 Type of cheese
44 Acid fruit
46 Half-em
47 Serpent
48 Indonesian of Mindanao
49 Symbol for tellurium
51 Rabbit
52 English statesman
54 Hawaiian wreath
56 Steamer (abbr.)
58 Red Cross (abbr.)
60 Symbol for samarium

(Answer to previous puzzle)



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Postpone Charter Debate

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Sgt. M. G. McGeer Of R.C.A.F Missing

VANCOUVER (CP)—Sgt. Air Gunner Michael Grattan McGeer, 21, only son of G. G. McGeer, K.C., M.P., and Mrs. McGeer, is missing over enemy territory, his parents were informed today.

Born in Vancouver, Sgt. McGeer attended St. Michael's School at Vernon and had one year at the University of British Columbia. His father, former mayor of Vancouver, is Liberal member of Parliament for Vancouver-Burrard and at present is in Ottawa.

DETROIT (AP)—Sheriff Andrew C. Baird announced today that Richard Vincent, 23, gasoline station attendant, had confessed the slaying March 27 of 14-year-old Joyce Raulston, Detroit schoolgirl whose beaten and stabbed body was found on a municipal dump. She was a native of Exeter, Ont.

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DATED at Vancouver, B.C., this 1st day of April, 1944.
LETITIA BOYD WATT,

Uncle Ray

CRABS CAST SHELLS SO THEY WILL HAVE SPACE TO GROW

One day I saw this sign in a restaurant:

"Eat slowly, brother! Your stomach has no teeth!"

That was good advice for a human being, but it would be wasted on a crab. A crab has a stomach with two parts, and one part is fitted with strong teeth—three of them. Worked by muscles, these teeth form a "gastric mill" which grinds up hard food, including shells.

Most crabs live in the ocean or on the ocean shore, but some spend their time in fresh water. A few kinds dwell on dry land, but even these go to water to lay their eggs.

Taking a journey through the ocean, we might find dozens of kinds of crabs. They differ greatly in size. After growing up, some are only a few inches wide, but others are of great size. We shall speak of the giant spider crabs in a story later this week.

Most crabs have rounded bodies, and this sets them apart from lobsters and other relatives. They are covered with shells which are fairly hard, making armor of a sort.

A crab has 10 legs, two of them with pincers at the end. If we count the front pair of legs as "arms," the animal still has eight walking legs.

Hatching from an egg, a baby crab usually swims about the ocean surface for days or weeks. If it is not gobbled up by a fish or other enemy, it will molt several times and at length will look like its parents.

A few kinds of new-hatched crabs look like tiny editions of the adults, but most of them are of different shape until they have been in the water for some time.

Dozens of molts take place as the crab grows up. Several of these changes may be carried out in a single year. Even well-grown crabs molt, but the time between molts may be from one to four years.

Molting is Nature's way of giving growing space to a crab. It gets too big for its shell, and throws it off.

The shell cracks, and the crab pulls itself out backward. After the cracking take place, the rest of the molting may last only 15 minutes.

Often the crab eats the old shell. This gives lime salts which help the creature to grow another hard covering.

(For Nature section of your scrapbook).

Civil Defence

James Bay, District 8 — An executive meeting will be held Wednesday evening at the Red Cross Hall, 565 Michigan, at 8. Senior wardens and executives and any warden who wishes, are invited to attend.

District 10 — General meeting of wardens, Wednesday, at 8, Sir James Douglas School.

District 7—J. Church, St. John Ambulance Brigade, will lecture wardens of the Fraternal Order of Eagles on "Blitz First Aid," at the Eagles' Home, 751 View Street, at 8.

A permit for a $3,500 four-room single-family home at 1226 Topaz Avenue, was issued by the city building inspector's department today to David Lewis.

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Quebec Regiment
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British Columbia Regiment
CLARKE, Phillip Henry, Pte., Vancouver.
Alberta Regiment
HAYES, John Pte., Edmonton, Alta.

NOW REPORTED KILLED
Eastern Ontario Regiment
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BARNABE, Gerard, Spr., Ottawa.
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POWLER, William George, Spr., Edson, Alta.
GASTON, Leslie Wilfred, Spr., Montreal.
ORR, James, Spr., Pointe St. Charles, Quebec.
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BALL, Harold Allan, Sigmn., Toronto.
GLOVER, Gordon Frederick, L. Sgt., Toronto, Ont.
HALL, John Cecil, Sigmn., Sudbury, Ont.
JANTZI, Earl, Sigmn., New Hamburg, Ontario.
MOORE, William, Sigmn., Montreal.
Semple, William Henry, Sigmn., Montreal, Que.
TAYLOR, Morris Aylmer, Sigmn., Eastwood, Ont.
THOMPSON, Frederick Charles, Sigmn., Fort Erie, Ont.
Central Ontario Regiment
MUDDLE, Lionel Richard, Pte., Milton, Ontario.
STAGG, William, Cpl., Toronto.
WYLIE, Robert James, Pte., Georgetown, Ontario.
Regiment de Quebec
LALENCETTE, Joseph Charles Auguste, Pte., St. Joseph D'Alma, Que.
Nova Scotia and P.E.I. Regiment
BARTER, George William, Pte., Antigonish, N.S.
SMITH, Leslie James, Pte., Annapolis Royal, N.S.
New Brunswick Regiment
HARTSGROVE, Burton Albert, Cpl., Bath, N.B.
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BERRY, Secord Ralph, Pte., Sussex, N.B.
BLACK, John Stewart, Pte., Oxford Station, Ont.
CAMPBELL, Charles Melvin, Pte., Trenton, Ont.
HAMILTON, James Earnest, Pte., Hamilton, Ont.
MARTIN, George, Pte., Hamilton, Ont.
PEDERSEN, Harold, Pte., Pas Trail, Sask.
ROBERTS, William Ralston, Pte., North Toronto, Ont.
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TANNER, Norman Maxwell, Pte., Hamilton, Ont.
TAYLOR, Norman Albert, Pte., Burlington, Ont.
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DRYDEN, James Jr., Pte., Montreal.
McGREADY, Theo. McMaster, Pte., Thamesford, Ont.
MUNRO, George Jr., Pte., Avonlea, Sask.
NETZELL, Frank Theodore Peter, Pte., Lucky Lake, Sask.
Royal Canadian Ordnance Corps
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Corps Troops
SHORTER, George Dennis, Pte., Toronto.

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KINCAID, Samuel, L. Bdr., Kincardine, Ontario.
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Western Ontario Regiment
COLE, Victor William, Pte., Woodstock, Ontario.
Saskatchewan Regiment
LUSSIER, Antonin Raoul, Pte., Nut Mountain, Sask.
Alberta Regiment
GODIN, George Oliver, Sgt., Edmonton.
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Central Ontario Regiment
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Canadian Armored Corps
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CRAWFORD, Arthur Edward, Pte., Barrie, Ont.
IBBOTSON, Ralph Wilbert, Pte., Allliston, Ont.
KEELER, Kenneth William, Tpr., Winnipeg, Man.
Royal Canadian Artillery
ADAMS, Gordon Charles, Gnr., Brooks, Alta.
KERNAGHAN, William, Gnr., Simcoe, Ontario.
QUINLAN, Frederick Arthur, Gnr., Toronto, Ont.
SHUGHUE, Alfred Harry, Gnr., Guelph, Ontario.
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JOHNSON, Kenneth, Sigmn., Whitby, Ontario.
Western Ontario Regiment
HAINES, Neil Patterson, Cpl., Kincardine, Ont.
McKAY, John Angus, Cpl., Seaforth, Ont.
SWINGHAMMER, Louis, Pte., Chesley, Ontario.
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HOWDEN, Harry Gordon, Pte., Aldershot, Ont.
KIRK, John Peter, A.-L. Cpl., Vancouver, B.C.
Quebec Regiment
CARSON, Beverly Gordon, A.-Sgt., Montreal, Que.
JOHNSTON, John, Pte., Montreal.
New Brunswick Regiment
HARRINGTON, Charles Llewellyn, Pte., Woodstock, N.B.
Manitoba Regiment
LENNOX, Alan James, A.-Sgt., Charleswood, Man.
Saskatchewan Regiment
NELSON, Donald James, Pte., New Westminster, B.C.
Alberta Regiment
McRAE, Howard Alexander, A.-Sgt., Calgary, Alta.
PARFETT, John Allison, A.-Sgt., Bruce, Alta.
WINCZURA, Andrew, Pte., Rosedale, Alta.
Royal Canadian Army Service Corps
TARR, John, Pte., Tillsonburg, Ont.

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Royal Canadian Engineers
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SEMOTIUK, Harry, Spr., Edmonton.
Royal Canadian Corps of Signals
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Western Ontario Regiment
FURMAN, Stanley Frank, Pte., Windsor, Ontario.
Central Ontario Regiment
CASWELL, Charles Thomas, L. Cpl., Toronto, Ont.
ROBB, Stanley Mervin, Pte., North Bay, Ontario.
Quebec Regiment
FOX, Sidney John, Cpl., Verdun, Que.
Nova Scotia and P.E.I. Regiment
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MacLEOD, Ralph Earl, Pte., Coldstream, N.S.
New Brunswick Regiment
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PROUT, James Matthew, Pte., Vancouver, B.C.
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Alberta Regiment
PEARSON, Edward, Pte., Keephills, Alta.
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MONK, David, Pte., Cornwall, Ont.
TODD, Frank Xavier, Pte., Headingly, Man.
Royal Canadian Ordnance Corps
KUZIW, Edward, Pte., Transcona, Man.
SEBELIUS, Oran Arthur, Pte., Nipawin, Sask.
WEIR, Clarence, Pte., Ottawa.

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Central Ontario Regiment
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Nova Scotia and P.E.I. Regiment
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MEECH, Maurice Frederick, FO., Lethbridge, Alta.
MINGLE, Stanley Lloyd, WO., Bromhead, Sask.
MORRISON, Oscar Langdon, WO., Toronto, Ont.
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PRISONER OF WAR, GERMANY
GILMAN, John Peter Walter, FS., Toronto, Ont.
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McCLURE, James, FO., St. Vital, Man.
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PRESUMED DEAD
BETTS, Donald, WO., Stratford, Ont.
BRADDEN, Harry Leo., FO., Belleville, Ontario.
BURNETT, Leslie Gordon Emanual, FO., St. James, Man.
COSTELLO, Michael, FS., Toronto.
DOHERTY, Francis Alozsuis, FO., Chilliwack, B.C.
EDWARDS, Mason Argue, Sgt., Toronto.
POLEY, Bruce Gregory, FO., New York, N.Y.
FOSTER, Allan Gerald, WO., Whitewood, Sask.
GIBSON, Abraham Joseph, FO., Edmonton, Alta.
HINDIN, Victor, FO., Edmonton, Alta.
KNUUTTILA, Arne Gabriel, FS., Tantallon, Sask.
McBRIDE, Leslie Brooks, FS., Semans, Sask.
McCULLOCH, Everett Elmer Stuart, FS., Three Rivers, Que.
PREST, Elmont Gasper, FO., Upper Stewiacke, N.S.
REYNOLDS, William Boyd, FO., Winnipeg, Man.
SEE, Douglas Raymond, FS., Toronto.
SHAW, Wilfred Lawrence, FL., Camrose, Alta.
SOBIN, Joseph Stanley, FS., Winnipeg.
WARWICK, Douglas William, FO., Toronto, Ont.
WILLISTON, David Archibald, FS., Sydney, N.S.

CANADA—PRESUMED DEAD
DOUGLAS-HOME, George Gospatrick, FO., Coldstream, Berwickshire, Eng.
LYNCH, Allen Spencer, Sgt., Bexley, N.S.W., Australia.
MADDRELL, George Webb, Sgt., Burwood, N.S.W., Australia.
RALPH, Jack, Sgt., Pentre Rhondda, Glamorganshire, South Wales.
RITCHIE, Elton Roy, Sgt., Strathfield, N.S.W., Australia.
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Victorians at Vernon Army Camp, 1915

Several Victorians who served in the Canadian army during the first World War appear in this picture taken of headquarters' staff officers at Central Mobilization Camp, Vernon, Sept. 15, 1915. Mrs. Edith Urquhart, daughter of the Late Maj. Arthur Bray, R.C.O.C., is the owner of the original. It was taken during the visit of H.R.H. Duke of Connaught to the camp, shown seated, centre. From left to right are: Dr. Biggar, an Imperial army staff member and Maj. Bray. Maj. Small is first at left seated, followed by another of the Duke's staff and next is Maj. Ridgeway-Wilson. Brig. J. Duff Stuart is on the Duke's left while Col. A. T. Ogilvie, D.S.O., is at his right. Capt. Seeley-Smith is seated at extreme right, Capt. J. Hebden-Gillespie is first standing at right, and next to him is Capt. MacAlpine.

Esquimalt Passes $100,000 Estimates

Estimates for the year 1941 totaling $100,091.35 and including increased school and police costs, and a $2,000 grant for the new maternity pavilion of Royal Jubilee Hospital, were presented by Councillor T. Hadfield, chairman of the finance committee, and passed by Esquimalt Municipal Council, Monday night.

"We are retaining the mill rate at 34 mills and our estimates are based on the hopes of getting 90 per cent collections. Last year we obtained 93 per cent collections, Mr. Hadfield said, in introducing the estimates.

Net school costs amounted to $37,000 which was an increase of $5,000 over last year; police department estimates were placed at $10,702 and public works at $23,000. Included in the estimates was $1,500 for a street lighting plant. Councillors discussed at length a grant of $1,500 for a library service for Esquimalt, and decided to leave the matter until the middle of the year and estimate $1,000 for the cost.

"Is there a great demand for reading matter?" queried Reeve Alex Lockley as he suggested putting the money into public works and leaving the library until next year.

Councillor Hadfield moved, and Councillor J. A. Ellis seconded a motion, whereby the cost-of-living bonus of the inside and outside municipal staffs was increased from $10.60 to $15 a month, retroactive as from January 1 of this year. Garbage men were granted an extra 25 cents a day pay. Division of the mill rate was as follows: 15.70 for school; .26 for debt and 18.04 for general.

Reeve and Councillors' remuneration by-law whereby the Reeve will be paid $600 a year and each councillor $200, received first and second reading. Medical fees, drugs and slight increase in allowance were provided for by council in an increase granted in relief costs.

Council agreed to rezoning at Esquimalt Road, to enable the district director of the National Housing Administration, to lease and convert into apartments, the home at 878 Esquimalt Road. Endorsement of a resolution passed by the Builders' Exchange in which they urged that employment of new methods for building should be fully investigated, was given by council. Endorsement was also given to a letter from the city clerk of Victoria, in which transfer from Vancouver, back to Esquimalt of the Pacific coast headquarters, of the Royal Canadian Navy, was sought. Donation of $10 was made to the Victoria Firemen's Mutual Benefit Society and $50 to the Salvation Army.

Request of E. L. Tait for tile and gravel for improvements on Sturdee Street was referred to the foreman of works. Reeve Lockley told the meeting arrangements were being made to obtain A. S. G. Musgrave of Oak Bay Municipality for a period of a week to 10 days, for the purpose of surveying the public works of Esquimalt.

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IN the past, wars have brought with them a high cost of living, ending with inflation.

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In one way or another most increased costs have been absorbed and very few passed on to the consumer.

Holding the ceiling has been a struggle. But the results have been worth while. From 1914 to 1919 prices rose 60%. From 1939 to 1944 the rise has been only 18%.

This effort of the Canadian people has been successful enough to be noted in other countries.

But we must continue to hold the line. We need not let history repeat itself. We can do better.

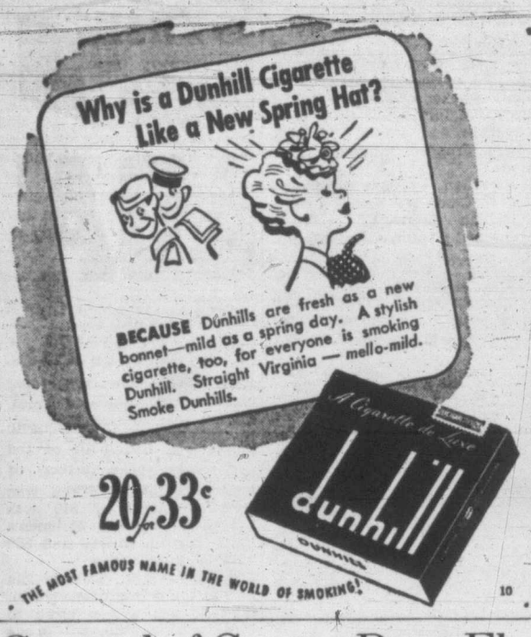
We can all help—

By cutting down unnecessary spending, and buying Victory Bonds instead.

By not hoarding or buying in black markets.

By not taking advantage of the war situation to press claims for higher prices, higher wages, higher rents or higher profits.

(This advertisement is one of a series being issued by the Government of Canada to emphasize the importance of preventing a further increase in the cost of living now and deflation later)



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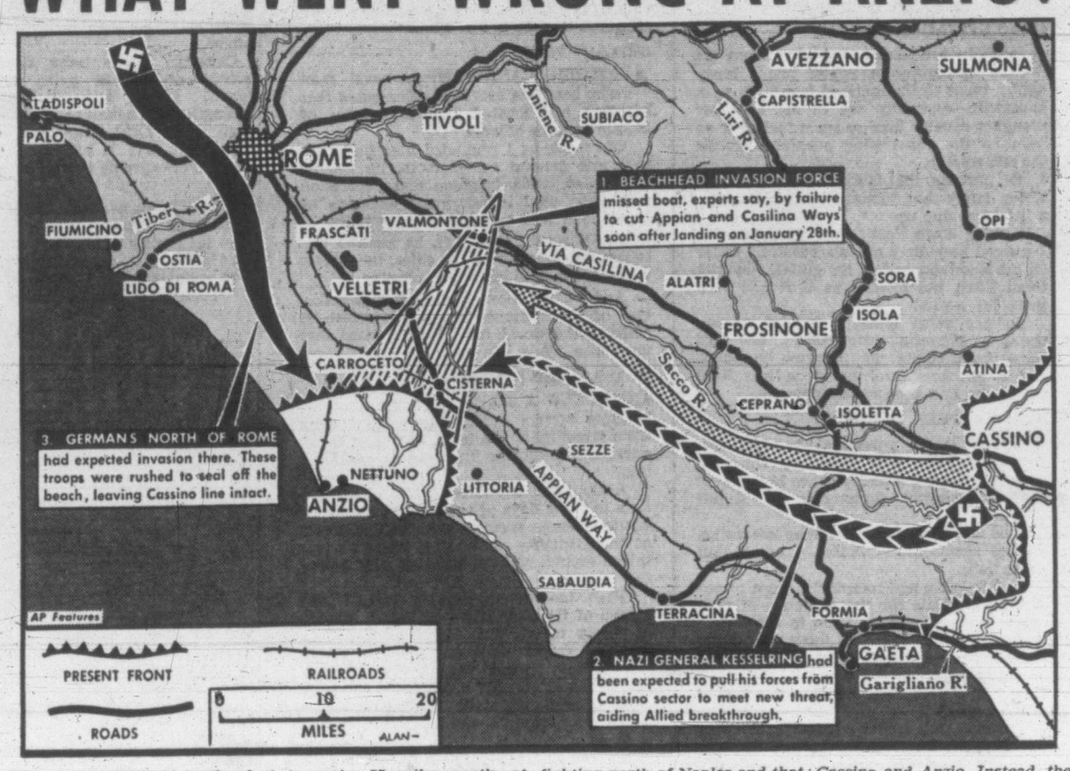
WHAT WENT WRONG AT ANZIO?



ON A BEACHHEAD south of Rome the Allies have long been involved in a stalemate. It has prompted the question—what went wrong at Anzio?

First of all, this beachhead battle is not another front or even a major action. It was designed as a diversion, a flanking movement, which nevertheless has developed into a savage, cutthroat, man-to-man struggle.

A few of the factors involved in setting the Anzio expedition back to the lip of the sea include:

Excellent enemy intelligence; tough, battle-wise opposition; cleverly placed, devastating enemy artillery fire; extremely nasty weather and the Allies' own hesitancy in moving inland when they had the chance.

Shortly after the landing Jan. 28, Gen. Sir Henry Maitland Wilson stated the Anzio expedition was never intended to be more than a diversionary thrust. The Nazis were expected to weaken their ranks 55 miles south, at Cassino, to meet this danger, whereupon the troops at Cassino were to heighten their offensive for a break-through and a drive on Rome.

The Germans were fooled only to the extent that the Allies landed south of the Eternal City instead of to the north, where they were waiting.

Washington military experts say that if the Allied forces had immediately forged inland to cut the two main highways—the Casilina and Appian Ways—main supply routes for German troops to the south—the enemy might have diverted his strength at Cassino in the belief a major flanking movement was in the making.

The Anzio force sat tight, however, and German military intelligence soon learned the invaders were Fifth Army veterans commanded by Lt.-Gen. Mark Clark. It knew the Fifth Army was fighting north of Naples and that this, therefore, was not a major invasion by a fresh new army.

And so the Germans left their forces to the south intact, instead rushed a number of reserve troops from the north. The Allies got nowhere at Cassino. They had to dig in at Anzio. Action at both points soon bogged down.

Rough terrain and terrible weather account in large part for this. Allied air superiority has been inadequately used because of the weather. Heavy, gooey mud has clamped our tanks and other armored vehicles into inactivity. German railroad and highway communications run unsevered, and Nazi troop and artillery concentrations operate in efficient fashion.

In the meantime, the Allies must maintain communications at Anzio from the sea, a hazardous venture well within range of the ring of Nazi heavy artillery.

The Allies sought to pocket a large force of Nazis between Cassino and Anzio. Instead, they have succeeded in becoming pocketed tightly at the latter spot themselves. They can't very well fall back into the sea. Allied prestige in all Europe would fall with them. They must hold on, wait for fair weather.

Sometime after the first of April the sun shines brightly in Italy. The mud dries quickly. In fact, the British Information Service observes the skies already have cleared and Allied planes have resumed an intensive operation against Nazi communications lines.

If after the present lull in the Cassino battle the Allies strike in force again it may reveal strategy based on a new effort to smash through the Rapido line, link up with Anzio beachhead force and drive on to Rome.

Fliers Who Get Dunked Win Goldfish Emblem

Immortalized in peace by hungry college boys, the goldfish is winning a set of wings in war by lending its name to an organization within the Allied air forces.

Life membership in the Goldfish Club—gold for the value of life, fish for the sea—is open to airmen downed at sea who save their lives by using either single seater or bomber-type emergency dinghies. Fliers who manage to keep afloat by clinging to wreckage or using their Mae Wests are granted endorsed memberships which may be terminated.

Letters of application from United Nations' airmen, countersigned by commanding officers as guarantee of accuracy, are coming into club headquarters from every theatre of war, military hospitals and even prisoner-of-war camps in Germany. The first Goldfish clubber to receive his emblem and card in a Nazi prison wrote that arrival of his club credentials was a sensation that made front-page news in the camp newspaper.

APPLICATIONS POUR IN

Founded by Lt.-Col. F. Baden Powell Weil for R.A.F. flying crews, the club has expanded to include members of Polish, Belgian, South African, Australian, Canadian, French, Norwegian, Czechoslovakian, Dutch and New Zealand air forces, plus scores of Yank airmen whose applications are being received from various theatres of war.

The insigne is a winged goldfish embroidered above two navy blue stripes on a black field. Additional stripes are awarded for repeat rescues.

Says Secretary Charles A. Robertson in London: "When the club was being organized, I encountered difficulty in having a bronze medallion made for issue to members, and as it involved using valuable material and skilled labor, the Ministry of Supply banned the emblem. This threatened the very existence of the club, but the problem was solved by my staff in the drawing and design office (of the British company making the inflatable life boats) who donated their personal dress suits, which were cut up into the small black cloth badges now sent to airmen all over the world."

This is the insigne of the Goldfish Club. Extra stripes are awarded for additional dunkings.

Evidence of the esteem enjoyed by the Goldfish Club are formal requests from the London Imperial War Museum and the Australian War Museum for full club details, together with specimen membership cards and club badges for display in their collections.

Many members have requested an annual postwar reunion, and plans are under way for the establishment of club quarters in London's West End, with a division for civilian fliers after the war.

Approximately 7,500 new silos were constructed in Bulgaria in 1943, making 15,000 erected since 1940 in a country that had very few prior to that year.

Control of Carrot Rust Fly

By R. GLENDENNING
Dominion Entomological Laboratory, Agassiz, B.C.

Since 1939 considerable damage has been caused to both field and garden carrots by an insect pest new to British Columbia, and many injuries have been received regarding its identity and control from growers on the lower mainland and on Vancouver Island.

This injury has been caused by the maggots of the carrot rust fly which was first noted in British Columbia, near Vancouver, in 1936. It is a native of eastern Europe and is now a serious pest in many parts of the world.

The carrot rust fly only attacks carrots, parsnips, celery and parsley, and a few other herbs of the same family of plants, but the damage frequently causes the loss of the entire crop.

Control is not simple, since local weather conditions vary the time of the insects' appearance in different districts, and to be effective the control recommendations must be applied at the proper time.

The adult insect is a small, shiny-black, two-winged fly, one-quarter inch long with pale yellowish head, legs and wings.

Young carrots, two inches high or less, do not attract the flies, so treatments need not begin until they are past this stage.

Soil cracked by drought or loosened by hoeing favors egg-laying, so should be avoided whenever possible.

BURY THEM DEEP

All carrots should be harvested as early as practical in September and only clean roots stored, as the maggots continue to feed after pulling and rotting is encouraged by the maggot injury. All infested roots should be destroyed by deep burial in order to lessen future infestations.

While the above recommendations apply particularly to carrots, they are also applicable to the other host plants that this insect attacks.

INSECTICIDES

Many chemicals and materials, both dusts and sprays, have been used and recommended at various times in different places. A thorough test at Agassiz of 15 different substances over four years has shown that most of these are unsatisfactory. Only naphthalene and calomel have proven reliable and practical. Derris, previously recommended, has not proved equal to the above materials under heavy infestations and, owing to restrictions on its use due to shortages, should be replaced by either naphthalene or calomel dusts.

Effective control has been obtained by three applications of crude naphthalene at weekly intervals. This should be broadcast over the foliage and ground of the carrot bed at the rate of one pound to 100 square feet (a handful to a square yard), when the flies are present. Thus treated, no tainting of the carrots takes place. Naphthalene acts as a deterrent to the flies and is only effective while its odor lasts, which is about one week in hot weather but more when cool and wet.

Calomel-talc dust (one pound calomel to four pounds talc), as used for cabbage root maggot, has also given excellent control. The dust should be applied to the crowns of the carrots from a tin-can shaker, or a dust gun, at the rate of one pound to 200 feet of row. Calomel dust lasts longer than naphthalene in hot weather, but is rather more expensive if bought in small lots. Three applications at weekly intervals in wet weather or two at 10-day intervals, if little or no rain has fallen, will give good protection. Calomel acts as a poison to the eggs and young maggots which come in contact with it. Therefore it must be placed on, or close to, the crowns of the carrots and not on the foliage.

APPLICATIONS

Owing to local and seasonal variations it is impossible to predict exact dates for the application of insecticides; growers should therefore endeavor to recognize the fly, and apply treatments when it is first seen.

In the coastal areas of British Columbia, applications will be needed in April-May for early carrots, in July for the main crop, and September for late carrots.

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MAMA'S MOUTHFUL—Sammy, the San Francisco zoo's tiger cub, ought to feel down in the mouth over this situation, but he's used to it by now. He's learned that when Ranee, his mama, decides to take him out for an airing, out he goes—and no back talk.

Property Sales Indicate Much New Building in City

Following considerable debate on several issues, the City Council Monday afternoon approved four major sales presaging important downtown development and 15 other minor property deals negotiated by the lands and zoning committee.

City-owned holdings on Wharf and Yates, together with a building in Commercial Alley, sold for $8,500 cash, with Ald. B. J. Gadsden and Ald. J. A. Worthington voting against the move.

Ald. Gadsden contended the sale should not be made until the corner of Wharf and Yates was rounded by structural alterations to the building as well as to the sidewalk. Ald. T. W. Hawkins, lands committee chairman, explained considerable improvement could be done in that line by altering the sidewalk contour. Ald. W. H. Davies moved the other corner be rounded, too, in order to facilitate turning by large buses. Ald. Gadsden said he thought the whole question could be handled effectively at a conference with the proposed purchaser. Despite his arguments the sale went through.

In other important deals property on Store Street was sold for $12,750, on the south of Johnson for $2,000, with the explanation a $10,000 roller rink will be erected there and three lots on the north of Herald went for $2,000.

Without debate, the council approved sale of 654 Montreal for $2,200; of a lot on North Finlayson for $200; one on the north of Mackenzie for $250; another on the west of Irma for $100; one on the south of Princess for $100; the southwest corner of Foul Bay and Bevan for $150; the southeast corner of Haultain and Scott for $50; a lot on the east of Empire for $250; one on the east of Washington for $150; another on the south of Hillside for $150; one on the west of Empire for $125; one on the east of Vancouver for $175; the northwest corner of Foul Bay and Bevan for $200; a lot on the east of Scott for $50 and the southeast corner of Pentrelew and Fort for $550.

WINNIPEG (CP)—A process for manufacture of syrup from wheat has been perfected in the U.S. and commercial production at the rate of 1,000,000 pounds per month, "is already under way," Cecil Lamont, vice-president of Northwest Line Elevators Association, said here.

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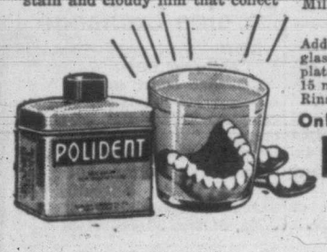

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COUPON VALUES

SUGAR - 1 pound
TEA - 2 ounces
COFFEE - ½ pound
BUTTER - ½ pound

SUN	MON	TUES	WED	THURSDAY	FRI	SAT
						1
2	3	4	5	6 Butter Coupon 56 Valid	7	8
9	10	11	12	13 Butter Coupon 57 Sugar Coupons 30, 31 Preserves Coupons 17, 18 Valid	14	15
16	17	18	19	20 Butter Coupon 58 Tea-Coffee Coupons T-30, T-31 Valid	21	22
23	24	25	26	27 Butter Coupon 59 Valid	28	29
30 Butter Coupons 54, 55, 56, 57 Expire						

EASTER HOLIDAY BUS SCHEDULES

GOOD FRIDAY — APRIL 7

NANAIMO ..... Friday Service
SIDNEY—AIRPORT ..... Friday Service
WEST SAANICH ..... Friday Service
DEEP COVE ..... No Service
SALT SPRING ISLAND ..... Friday Service
KEATING—OLD WEST ROAD ..... No Service
JORDAN RIVER
Lv. Jordan River 7.30 a.m. — Friday
Lv. Victoria - 9.30 p.m. — Routing
GORDON HEAD ..... Friday Service
GORGE ..... Sunday Service
LAKE HILL ..... Sunday Service
AGNES—RALPH ..... Holiday Service
BURNSIDE ..... Holiday Service
CORDOVA BAY ..... Friday Service
CADBORO BAY ..... Friday Service
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KVI	570	KPO	680	CKWX	980	CBR	1130
CJOR	600	KIRO	710	KJR	1000	KSL	1160
KGW	620	KGO	810	CFCN	1010	KOL	1300
KFI	640	KOMO	950	KNX	1070	CJVI	1480

Tonight

5.30
News—KIRO, KNX.
Time Out—CJOR.
Jack Armstrong—KJR.
Men of Music—CBR.
World's Front Page—KOL.
Squareshooters—CKWX.
Date With Judy—KOMO.
News—KJR, KIRO, KNX, 5.45
Dance Orchestra—CJVI.

6.00
News—CJVI.
Mystery Theatre—KOMO.
Symphony—CJOR.
Burns and Allen—KIRO.
Terry and the Pirates—CKWX.
Cecil Solly—KJR.
John and Judy—CBR.
Gabriel Heater—KOL.
Believe It Or Not—KOL, 6.15.

6.30
Sport Headlines—CKWX.
American Forum—KOL.
Fibber McGee—KOMO.
Nation Report—KIRO.
Spotlight Bands—KJR.
CBR Evening Concert—CBR.
Rhythm Ramblers—CJVI.

7.00
News—CBR.
Blue of Evening—CKWX.
American Forum—KOL.
Norman Corwin—KIRO.
People Enjoy Facts—CJVI.
Bob Hope—KOMO.
Raymond Gram Swing—KJR.

7.30
Red Ryder—KJR.
Red Skelton—KOMO.
Nordic Hour—KOL.
Max Dolin—KIRO.
Portrait of a Woman—CJVI.
Organ Recital—CBR.

8.00
Watch the World—KJR.
Things to Come—CBR.
Stars of Tomorrow—CJVI.
Fred Waring—KOMO, KPO.
H. A. Roberts—CKWX.
I Love a Mystery—KIRO.
Costigan Interviews—KOL.
Lum and Abner—KJR at 8.15.
John Nesbitt—KIRO, 8.15.

8.30
Telequiz—CJVI.
Big Town—KIRO.
Duffy's Co.—KJR.
Playhouse—CBR.
Johnny Presents—KOMO, KPO
Green Hornet—CKWX.
The Battlefront—KOL.

9.00
News—KOL, CBR.
Let Yourself Go—KJR.
Judy Canova—KIRO.
Ronald Colman Show—KOMO.
Weird Circle—CJVI.
Double or Nnothing—CKWX.

9.30
News—KJR.
Fulton Lewis Jr.—KOL.
Waltztime—CJVI.
Nocturne—CBR.
Human News—KIRO.
Big Mountain Boys—CKWX.
Boeing Hour—KOMO.

10.00
News — KOMO, CBR, KIRO, CKWX, CJVI.
Elmore Philpott—CBR 10.10.
News Roundup—CBR, 10.15.
Organ Melodies—KOL.
Magic Hour—KJR.
Sinatra vs. Crosby—KOMO.

10.30
Orchestra—CBR, CJVI.
Close of Day—CKWX
Congress Speaks—KIRO.
Broadway Echoes—KOL.
Words and Music—CJVI, 10.45.

11.00
News—KOL, KOMO.
Wally Anderson—KIRO.
Dance—CBR.
Anything Goes—CKWX.
Chester Bowles—KJR.
News—CBR at 11.30.

11.30
Dance—KOL, KOMO.
Famous Bands—KIRO.
Soldiers of the Press—KJR.
News for Alaska—KIRO at 11.45
News—KOL, KOMO, KPO, 11.45

Tomorrow

7.00
News—KOL, KOMO, KIRO.
"G-G" Man—CJOR.
Insomnia Inc.—CKWX.
Farm Forum—KJR.
Musical Clock—CJVI.
News—KJR at 7.15.

7.30
News—CKWX, CJVI, KIRO.
Reveille Roundup—KPO, KOMO
Musical Minutes—CBR.
James Abbe—KJR.
Shady Valley—KOL.
News—KOMO, KIRO, 7.45.

8.00
News—CBR, CKWX, CJVI.
Ann Baxter—KIRO.
Dr Louis Talbot—KOL.
Seattle Counsel—KJR.
Radio Parade—KOMO.
News—KIRO, KOMO at 8.15.
Aunt Jemima—CJVI, 8.15.

8.30
Jerry Morris—KOL.
Just About Time—CJVI.
Breakfast Club—KJR.
Victor Lindlahr—KOMO.
Morning Concert—CBR.
Kitty Foyle—KIRO, KNX.
Times and Tunes—CKWX.
Sacred Meditations—CJVI, 8.45.

9.00
News—CBR, KJR, CJVI.
Gallant Heart—KOMO.
Kate Smith—KNX, KIRO.
Sing as We Go—CKWX.
Boake Carter—KOL.
News—CJOR at 9.15.

9.30
Woman's Way—KOL.
All in Fun—CJOR.
Hallelujah Time—KOMO.
Good Morning—CJVI.
Sardi's Breakfast—KJR.
Helen Trent—KNX, KIRO.
Santa Fe Trail—CKWX.
Drama—CBR.

10.00
News—KOL, KJR, KOMO.
Life Beautiful—KNX, KIRO.
Capsules of Melody—CKWX.
Shoppers' Rhythm—KPO.
Music for Moderns—CBR, CJVI.
Happy Gang—CBR at 10.15
Homekeepers' Calendar—KOMO at 10.15.

10.30
News—CJVI.
Stars of the Week—CJOR.
Lopez Luncheon—KOL.
Baby Institute—KJR.
Bernardine Flynn—KIRO.
They Tell Me—CBR at 10.45.

11.00
Politics Program—CJVI.
Portia Faces Life—KIRO.
The Guiding Light—KOMO.
Bankaze Talking—KJR.
Yesterday's Hits—CBR.
Concert Caravan—CKWX.
Cedric Foster—KOL.

People Enjoy Facts
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Tuesday, 7 p.m.

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Tonight's Highlights

8.00—Stars of Tomorrow
8.30—Telequiz
9.00—Weird Circle
9.30—Waltz Time
10.15—Organ Melodies
10.30—Hal McIntyre's Orchestra

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Tonight's Features

6.00—Burns and Allen—KIRO, KNX.
6.30—Fibber McGee and Molly—KOMO.
7.00—Bob Hope—KOMO.
7.30—Red Skelton — KOMO, KPO.
8.30—Duffy and Co.—KJR.
9.00—Judy Canova—KIRO.
9.00—Ronald Colman—KOMO.

11.30
News—KJR.
Light of the World—KOMO.
Doctor Malone—KIRO.
The Little Show—CKWX.
Handy Man—KOL.
Soldier's Wife—CBR, CJVI
News—KIRO at 11.45.

12.00
Mary Marlin—KIRO.
News—KOL, KVI.
Woman of America—KOMO.
B.C. Farm—CBR.
Morton Downey—KJR
Roving Reporter—CKWX.
Al Smith—CJVI.
Capt. Sanisio—KJR, 12.15.

12.30
News—CJOR, CBR, CJVI.
Pepper Young—KOMO, KPO.
Music for Moderns—CKWX.
Christian Committee—KOL
Farm Journal—KJR.

1.00
News Review—KJR.
Backstage Wife—KOMO, KPO
Ernesto Vinci—CBR.
Broadway Matinee—KIRO.
Famous Voices—CJOR.
Brave Tomorrow—CKWX.
Walter Compton—KOL.
Waltztime—CJVI.

1.30
Lorenzo Jones—KOMO, KPO.
True Detective—KOL.
We and Sade—CKWX.
New Horizons—KIRO.
Liptonaires—CBR.
Red, White and Blue—CJVI.

2.00
Ray Dady—KOL.
Youts Sincerely—CKWX.
Music Corner—CJVI.
Open Door—KIRO.
What's Doing?—KJR.
When Girl Married — KOMO, KPO.
News Reel Theatre—KOL, 2.15.

2.30
News—KNX, KOL, KIRO.
Listen to London—CBR.
Red, White and Blue—CKWX
Just Plain Bill—KOMO, KPO
Living For Fun—KJR.
Music Corner—CJVI.

3.00
News—KNX, KJR.
Road of Life—KOMO.
Don Messer—CJVI.
Messer's Islanders—CBR.
Alexander Griffin—KOL.
Housewives Inc.—KIRO
Those Who Serve—CKWX.

3.30
Tunefully Yours—KOL
Magic in Spring—CBR.
News—KOMO, KIRO.
Matinee—CKWX.
The Vagabonds—KJR.
Voice of Memory—CJVI.
World Today—KIRO at 3.45.
News—CBR, KOL at 3.45.

4.00
Fulton Lewis (News)—KOL.
Dr. Kate—KOMO, KPO.
Rendezvous with Rhythm—CBR.
CJVI.
Blighty—CKWX
Neighbors—KIRO.
Connie Boswell—KJR.
Newsreel—KIRO, KOMO at 4.15

4.30
Carol Sisters—CBR.
May We Serve You—KOMO.
Club 1300—KOL.
Cowboy Joe—KJR.
Easy Aces—KIRO.
Remembrance Hour—CJVI.
News—CJOR, KJR at 4.45.
Kaltenborn—KOMO, KPO, 4.45

5.00
News—KPO, KOL.
Georgian Singers—CBR.
Terry and the Pirates—KJR.
Hot Off the Wire—KIRO.
Women's Roundtable—CJVI.
O.K. for Release—KOMO.
Jimmy Dale—CKWX.
Supermen—KOL, 5.15
Dick Tracy—KJR, 5.15.

One Woman's Day . . .

By NANCY HODGES

CIVIC SPRING-CLEANING

A POET CAROLLED something about "In the springtime a young man's fancy lightly turns to thoughts of love," but to a housewife—especially one of my age—her thoughts usually turn to spring-cleaning as soon as the penetrating sunshine reveals the odd cobweb.

So, perhaps, that is why I have been conscious lately that Victoria itself also needs a little cleaning up.

Walking down Fort Street the other day I noticed how dirty our streets are. Litter on the sidewalks and in the gutters, and not fresh litter, but looking as if it had been there for weeks!

In one short block, I noticed a man throw a cigarette carton down, two lads throw away empty chewing gum wrappers, and a girl toss into the air a bag from which she had been eating popcorn.

ORANGE PEEL DECORATION

TO ADD TO the general air of untidiness, several huge, new sheets of wrapping paper were doing a merry dance in the wind and momentarily threatening to engulf someone's head.

And orange peel is a common decoration on the sidewalks. Colorful, I admit, but not artistic.

A few years ago receptacles were placed at various points for the collection of such refuse, but people seem loath to use them.

I wonder why it is that those who would never dream of throwing down orange peel or waste paper on the floors in their own homes do it shamelessly in the streets and in our parks?

Perhaps they would respond to the sort of notice which appears in the waiting room of a tiny Saskatchewan railway station:

"If you're accustomed to spitting on the floor at home, spit on the floor here. We want you to feel quite at home."

VETERAN'S REACTION

AND IT ISN'T that I am alone in being thus pernickety about Victoria's' untidiness.

For I was talking to an army man who has just returned to this city after three years in England. And in the course of our conversation he expressed regret at what he called Victoria's down-at-heel appearance.

"The first thing that strikes you is the untidiness here," he remarked. And when I rose to defend the city by explaining that lack of labor had something to do with it, he retorted:

"That's no excuse. You should see England. In spite of all she is going through, and in spite of all the mess and debris caused by the bombing, her streets are a picture of neatness. I even saw men of 90 helping to clean the streets over there—why shouldn't they do it over here?"

BRITAIN TIDY

ANOTHER CANADIAN, a naval man who has been overseas, commented that his first and most lasting impression of Britain was its tidiness.

Of course, as I reminded him, its smallness and general compactness, its hedged and walled fields, heighten that impression to anyone used to our great expanses of forest land and our sprawling prairies.

But it wasn't only that, he assured me. It was the neatness of the cities, the streets which are sluiced off every morning.

And I don't know whether it is a reflection of the spirit of destruction which is stalking the world, but I have noticed that vandalism seems rife here.

GLASS-STREWN ROADS

SCARCELY A DAY passes but there is glass strewn across the roads, debris from streetlights shattered by young hooligans, or from bottles thrown from a passing car.

Aside from the menace this creates to tires in these days of rubber shortage, such wanton damage seems so senseless. It savors of the mentality of the ape, which throws things around without knowing why it does so.

Then, too, we are coming to that lush season of the year when a prolific harvest of empty tomato tins and broken bottles, decaying grapefruit peels and other refuse will blossom on our beaches, cast up by a tide which apparently operates on the principle of rendering unto Victoria all things which are Victoria's—even in the matter of garbage.

In fact, I have never seen anywhere such a perfect example of the Biblical truth about casting bread upon the waters and finding it again after many days!

CHALLENGE TO CIVIC PRIDE

SO I AM glad to see that the City Fathers are again giving consideration to this perennial problem. Let us hope they will be able to find a permanent solution before many moons have waxed and waned.

But as to the general untidiness of Victoria, that is not only a matter for the authorities to cope with, it is a challenge to every man, woman and child.

If we have an empty cigarette carton or a paper bag, and we see no receptacle for litter handy, let's put it in our pocket until we do, or wait till we get home, then burn it.

In other words let us develop a little more civic pride. Springtime is so lovely in Victoria that we should not mar it by carelessness or thoughtlessness.

Merriman Round-up . . .

No job is too big or too small for the city police. At the same time they got a request to arrest a man for the U.S. police on a quarter million dollar charge they got a request from a mother for assistance in arranging a settlement with a man who had broken her son's toy drum. . . . One thing was demonstrated at the Boys' Band father-and-son banquet. The lads do not inherit their musical ability from their dads. When the boys turned over their musical instruments to the oldsters not one could play a note. Even Percy George, pioneer sponsor of the band couldn't help. Twenty-four years in the music business and there's not an instrument he can play—except a gramophone and that is because he took up gramophone manufacturing when he came back from World War 1. It is customary to think of things they are doing with glass, such as making dresses to look like silk, as a recent invention. John Kyle recalls buying a necktie, made of glass and looking like silk, in London in 1914. . . . Criticizing U.S. horror programs on the air, Grace Taylor of Port Angeles says most evenings the American air is filled with murder. We often have to go to Victoria for a good program. But W. H. Ferguson bobs up with the sound argument "if you don't like the program you can always turn the dial." Personally he says he rather likes a "squeaking door" mystery or a bucket of blood now and then.

Cairo and Aklavik Air Centres of Future

Cairo is destined to be as great an air city in the east as Aklavik in the north, Hugh A. Matier told Gyros at the Empress Monday.

Although "Egypt" was the official subject of address, Mr. Matier, Fellow of the Royal Geographical Society, founder-member of the Pacific Geographical Society and honorary science lecturer to the Royal Egyptian University, darted around from his personal experiences in the U.S. to his historical and geological explorations in the middle east with great fluency. He kept his listeners in constant paroxysms of merriment yet underneath his facetiousness was evidence of a shrewd understanding of political trends, a broad knowledge of world events both present and in the past, gleaned from his extensive traveling, and a keen memory for factual statistics.

He drew a picture of the rising of Egypt under the farsighted rulership of young Farouk, whom he called a "smart boy," and said the Arabs are basically an intelligent people, who believe that "the ink of the scholar is more holy than the blood of the martyr."

Scattered throughout his speech were many names famous in history, most of them personal friends.

He spoke of one Egyptian ruler who cut the population from 12,000,000 to 2,000,000 by inflicting the death penalty for the most infinitesmal crimes—such as smoking.

Mr. Matier leaves today for Prince George and points north.

Murray Martindale introduced him to the meeting and Harte Henderson thanked him for his address. Fred Hawes, Gyro president, was in the chair.

Easter Services At St. Andrew's

There will be special devotions at 7.30 at St. Andrew's Cathedral, with the recitation of "Tenebrae," Wednesday, Thursday and Friday evenings. Thursday there will be Holy Communion at 7, 7.30, 8, 8.30 and 9, as well as during the Mass at 9.30, at which the Holy Oils will be consecrated. The Altar of Repose will be visited throughout the day and Thursday night there will be nocturnal adoration of the Blessed Sacrament until 7 Friday morning.

Friday the Mass of the Presanctified will take place at 9.30. Stations of the Cross will be held at noon, at 1.30 and at 3, preceded by a brief sermon on the Passion and followed by the veneration of the Relic of the True Cross.

Saturday the blessing of the new fire, the Paschal Candle, and the baptismal font, will begin at 7.30, but Holy Communion will be given only during the Alleluia Mass at 9.15. The Lenten season ends at noon.

Sunday the Masses will be at 7, 8, 9.30 and 11, the last being a Grand Pontifical Mass chanted by the Bishop of Victoria, who will also deliver the occasional sermon. The choir will be conducted by Rev. A. E. Leonard of St. Peter's Church, Nanaimo, and Miss M. McKay will preside at the organ. At 7.30 in the evening there will be Pontifical Benediction of the Most Blessed Sacrament.

Brodeur Invested

OTTAWA (CP)—Rear-Admiral Victor Brodeur, head of the Pacific naval command, today was invested by the Governor-General, the Earl of Athlone, with the insignia of a commander of the military division of the Order of the British Empire. The award to Admiral Brodeur was announced in the King's New Year's honors list.

Labor Group Here Backs Home-Makers

In a move to establish a corps of "visiting home-makers" here, the International Union of Carpenters and Joiners, meeting in the Labor Hall Monday night, endorsed a plan to call a mass meeting on the question in the near future.

The plan covers creation of a group of temporary household workers who would be sufficiently competent to step into a home in which there is illness or in which the mother requires time off and handle household duties.

The meeting also endorsed the move to require demolition of temporary wartime housing structures which do not conform to building regulations when the emergent need for such dwellings has passed.

The Boilermakers' Union class in trades unionism was given support and the union's representatives on the local advisory board of Selective Service were asked to convey to the latter group's rehabilitation committee the carpenters' support of moves for development of hydro-electric energy here to improve industrial conditions on the island.

The meeting approved a plan to send cigarettes to all members of the local now serving overseas.

Newsmen's Reports Of Italy Accurate

LONDON (CP)—Replying to a question in the House of Commons, War Secretary Sir James Grigg declared today he was "generally satisfied" that the reports of correspondents on the military situation in Italy represented the true picture of operations there.

Commerce Chamber To Hear Gen. Foster

Maj.-Gen. W. W. Foster, D.S.O., of Edmonton, special commissioner for defence projects in northwestern Canada, will show moving-pictures of the Alaska Highway when he addresses the annual meeting of the Victoria Chamber of Commerce to be held in the Empress ballroom Wednesday noon.

Gen. Foster, formerly Vancouver Chief of Police, has held many important offices in public life of B.C., notably in Legislature, as president of Pacific Engineers, and deputy minister of public works. He is now Canadian and U.S. liaison chief in the north. During the last war, at the end of which he had risen from captain to colonel, he was many times decorated, winning the Belgian Croix-de-Guerre with Lion, the French Croix-de-Guerre with Gold Star, and two bars to the D.S.O. He was also, in 1938, president of the Dominion Command of the Canadian Legion.

Besides Gen. Foster's address on the activities and possibilities of the Alaska Highway territory, agenda for the Chamber of Commerce annual meeting will include directors' and financial reports and election of auditors.

G. Hamilton Harman, newly-elected president of the Victoria Chamber of Commerce, will be installed in office by Mayor Andrew McGavin.

R. W. Mayhew, M.P., will confer with the new directorate immediately following the luncheon, to which the public is invited.

London Market

LONDON (AP)—British stock closings, in sterling:

Austin Motor A 26s, Babcock and Wilcox 5s, Boots 43s, Cent Mining £16¼, Consol. Gold 53s 3d, Courtaulds 52s 9s, Crown £7½, De Beers £19⅛, East Geduld £9, H.B.C. 62s 6d, London-Midland £30¾, Metal Box 88s 9d, Mex Eagle 11s 6d, Mining Trust 3s 9d, Rand £7¾, Spring Mines 18s.

Bonds: Brit. 2½ per cent, Consols £79 1-16, Brit. 3½ per cent War Loan £104 13-16, Brit. Funding 4s 1960-90 £112½.

Banned By Nazis

LONDON (AP) — With the Nazi armies retreating everywhere in the east and the Russians thrusting into Rumania, German authorities have ordered all maps of the Russian front removed from public places in Germany and occupied countries, the Brazzaville radio said today.

The broadcast, recorded by the Associated Press, said the Germans also had forbidden the printing of all maps of the eastern front.

New York Stocks

NEW YORK (AP)—Near-closing prices on today's market were no more than moderately mixed.

Canadian issues were about evenly divided in gains and losses, Dome and McIntyre strengthening a half-point or so each, while Lake Shore fell off ⅜. C.P.R. was ⅛ easier, while Distillers Seagrams was up about ¼.

Dow Jones average closed today as follows:
30 industrials ___138.06, up .05
20 rails ___39.38, up .04
15 utilities ___23.05, up .04
Total sales, 572,400 shares.

	Closing Bid
American Can	86
American Tobacco	61-3
American Smelter	37-8
American Tel. and Tel.	157-3
Anaconda Copper	25-6
Atchison Topeka	65
B. and O. Railway	8-1
Baldwin Locomotive	19-7
Bendix Aviation	36-2
Bethlehem Steel	58-3
Boeing Aircraft	14-2
Borden	30-2
Cerro de Pasco	33-2
C. and O. Railway	45-3
Chrysler	82-5
Columbia Gas	4-5
Con. Edison	21-6
Crucible Steel	31-2
Douglas Aircraft	50-1
Erie Railroad	12-1
General Foods	42
General Electric	35-6
General Motors	57-4
Great West Sugar	26-4
Howe Sound	32-2
Inter. Harvester	71
Inter. T. and T.	13-5
Kennecott Copper	30-5
Montgomery Ward	44
New York Central	16-1
Northern Pacific	15-6
Pennsylvania Railroad	29-2
Radio	9-2
Republic Steel	16-7
Reynolds Tobacco	30
Standard Oil New Jersey	53
Standard Brands	10-2
Sears Roebuck	87-7
Southern Pacific	26-5
Studebaker	14-6
Union Carbide	78-6
Union Oil California	19-1
Union Pacific	103-4
United Aircraft	28-2
United Gas and Improvement	1-6
U.S. Steel	51-4
U.S. Smelting	52-4
Westinghouse Electric	98-6
Western Union	46-2
Woolworth	39
Youngstown Sheet	35-5
Zenith Radio	35-4

Loss of Royalty From E. & N. Belt Timber Is Heavy

Lands in the Esquimalt and Nanaimo Railway Belt, including crown grants, cost the forest branch $79,500 annually in fire-protection expenditure, and total income received from the land amounts to some $22,500, leaving the provincial treasury to find $57,000 from other sources, C. D. Orchard, chief forester for B.C., told the forest inquiry Thursday afternoon.

The province received $15,609 from private land holders within the belt and $6,874 annually as a contribution from the E. & N. up to 1940, Mr. Orchard said. No royalty was charged on crown-granted lands, with the E. & N. paying a sum in lieu of taxes. The E. & N. now pays $8,000, he said.

"If the timber cut carried royalties in the E. & N. belt, it would mean $800,000 in royalties annually for the provincial treasury over the past 10 years," he said.

"Expensive railway," commented Mr. Justice Gordon McG. Sloan, Royal Commissioner.

HISTORY OF GRANT

Mr. Orchard gave the history of the grant, stating that originally it amounted to more than two million acres. A study in 1938 revealed 988,950 acres still in their ownership, with 337,825 acres of merchantable timber, he said. If the railway paid the usual 6c per acre forest protection tax on the productively timbered area, it would mean approximately $25,000 annually, he continued.

"It seems to me that there has been a misconception prevailing in the Attorney-General's department or the forestry department. It is generally thought these lands were free of royalty because no royalty was reserved by the crown at the time the grants were made to the E. & N. and because no royalty was reserved, no tax could be levied," said H. W. Davey, counsel for the commission.

"I see no reason why the crown should not impose a severance tax—a sales tax on the land of grantees who obtained title to the land from the E. & N.," he said as he spoke of equalizing the tax burden by use of a severance or other tax. "I see no reason why the E. & N. cannot be legally made to pay the same charge for fire protection as other owners of timber lands."

Mr. Justice Sloan stated that all grants in the crown were subject to changes in the taxation structure.

RESTOCKING NOT GOOD

During 1943 Mr. Orchard stated that in his opinion 90 per cent of the cut in the Vancouver Island forest district came off the E. & N. Railway grant. A conservative estimate would be 75 per cent, he added. Of the total annual cut of the province, 87.6 per cent is being taken from the coast region, according to Mr. Orchard. Logs taken from the E. & N. grant are all exportable.

"There are within the belt 414,910 acres of unsatisfactorily restocked land," Mr. Orchard said. "Almost two-thirds of the logged over land in the belt is denuded or not-satisfactorily restocked."

Logging of mature trees through second growth stands was discussed at length by Mr. Orchard, who showed photographs of a number of second growth trees taken down to bring out mature trees. He said that he had never seen any inclination of the E. & N. to hang onto second growth, with sections being logged for two or three mature trees to the acre.

Canners Gain

TORONTO (CP) — Losses in the golds ranged up to 10 cents for the secondary issues on today's market and in the senior group, McIntyre was up a point or more and Dome and Lake Shore dropped minimum fractions.

Canadian Locomotive firmed 3 to 46, Canners A gained a point. Canadian Breweries preferred weakened a point, Aluminum lost 1½.

Toronto Index:
20 industrials ___119.33, up .05
20 golds ___101.92, off .29
15 western oils ___28.44, up .03

(9 a.m.)

	Bid	Asked
Aluminum pfd.	86¾	90
Beatty Bros. A	20	20½
Bell Telephone	152¾	154
B.A. Oil	21½	21⅞
Brazilian Traction	23½	24
Burlington Steel	—	9
Canadian Celanese	37½	38
Canadian Pacific Railway	10⅝	11
Canada Steamship pfd.	34	34¼
Fanny Farmer	31	31½
Ford Canada A	—	24
Gatineau Power 5% pfd.	87	89
Imperial Oil	13	13⅛
Imperial Tobacco	—	12
Inter. Metal Indus. 6% pfd.	102	102½
Do. A	18¾	19¼
Inter. Petroleum	20	20¼
Loblaw Groc. A	24½	25¼
Montreal L. H. and P.	19½	20¼
Page Hersey Tubes	—	97
Shawinigan W. and P.	14½	15⅛
Steel of Canada	63	64½
Hiram Walker G. and W.	59½	60¾

	Bid	Asked
Aunor	340	365
Bidgood Kirkland	44	45
Bralorne	1150	1200
Broulan	74	76
Britain Ankerite	365	385
Cariboo Malartic	61	68
C. and E. Corp.	191	197
Central Patricia	175	180
Chesterville	122	125
Coniagas	149	151
Couchenour Willans	193	195
Dome Mines	25⅞	26⅛
East Malartic	178	180
Falconbridge	310	325
Hardrock	160	162
Hollinger	1125	1175
Home Oil	340	350
Hudson Bay Mines	275	287
Jason Gold	31	33
Kerr Addison	940	950
Kirkland Lake	101	102
Lake Shore	1525	1600
Lamaque	620	625
Smith Gold	113	114
Little Long Lac	100	105
Madsen Red Lake	187	189
McIntyre	5625	5600
McKenzie Red Lake	141	143
McLeod Cockshutt	230	234
Macassa	365	370
Malartic Goldfields	340	345
Mining Corp.	182	188
Siphons	220	230
Noranda	5200	5225
Okalta	52	55
O'Brien Mines	180	186
Pamour Porcupine	128	130
Paymaster	35	36
Pend Oreille	133	146
Perron Gold	92	94
Pickle Crow	211	215
Powell Rouyn	152	155
Premier Gold	—	90
Preston East Dome	255	287
San Antonio	370	375
Sheep Creek	98	100
Sherritt Gordon	66	68
Siscoe Gold	43	47
Sladen Malartic	62½	63
Steep Rock	217	220
Sullivan	171	173
Sylvanite	215	220
Teck Hughes	340	350
Upper Canada	230	235
Ventures	650	690
Waite Amulet	485	490
Wright Hargreaves	305	310
Francoeur	44½	46
Largold	7	10
Moneta Porcupine	39	40
Con. Smelters	41	41½

Electric Purchase Being Discussed

Premier John Hart today met representatives of various B.C. cities and municipalities for a detailed discussion of the proposal that the assets and services of the B.C. Electric be taken over by the public.

Prior to the conference at the Parliament Buildings the delegates met Mayor McGavin at the City Hall.

Mayor J. W. Cornett of Vancouver, chairman of the municipal committee on the B.C. Electric, led the mainland delegation to Victoria. In the group are Mayor Mott, New Westminster; Alderman Charles Jones, Vancouver; Reeve R. M. Grauer, Richmond; Reeve Pat Field, West Vancouver. Mayor Hamilton of Port Alberni is also with the civic delegates.

Technical advisers here for the conference are Charles Brakenridge, Vancouver engineer; Donald McTaggart, Vancouver solicitor; Frank Jones, Vancouver comptroller. F. L. Shaw, Victoria city solicitor, is attending with Mayor McGavin.

Dr. W. A. Carrothers, chairman of the Public Utilities Commission, which investigated the operations of the B.C. Electric, will attend to supply technical information.

"We are seeking information and co-operation more than anything else," Mayor Cornett said.

Calgary Livestock

CALGARY (CP)—Cattle 239; calves 1; hogs 247; sheep 109.

Good to choice butcher steers, 11.00 to 11.50; common-medium, 8.50 to 10.75. Good to choice butcher heifers, 10.50 to 11.25; common-medium, 8.00 to 10.00. Good cows, 7.75 to 8.25. Good bulls, 7.00 to 7.75. Good stocker and feeder steers, 9.50 to 10.25; common-medium, 8.00 to 9.00.

Hogs yesterday, 15.95 for B1 yards and plants; sows, 9.00 to 9.10 live weight, yards and plants.

City Egg Prices Today

To producer:
Grade A large 29c
Grade A medium 27c
Grade A pullets 21c
To wholesaler:
Grade A large 33c
Grade A medium 31c
Grade A pullets 25c

Grain

WINNIPEG (CP) — Shippers were credited today with taking a cargo of 350,000 bushels of high grade Canadian wheat for shipment at the opening of navigation in a moderate session on the Winnipeg Grain Exchange.

Advances of about one cent at Chicago aided the upturn here. Minor United States selling also was mentioned.

Rye—	Open	High	Low	Close
May	129-6	131-2	129-6	131-2
July	129-2	130-4	129-2	130-4
October	127-3	128-4	127-3	128-4

Cash Grain Close

Oats—No. 2 cw. 51-4, track 51-4.
Barley—No. 3 cw. 64-6, track 64-6.
Rye—No. 2 cw. 130-4, track 130-6.

CHICAGO (AP)—Wheat demonstrated strength today in a market that showed little activity, July touching a new seasonal high. Rye moved up in sympathy with wheat, and oats followed wheat and rye. Barley was strong.

Traders reported a gradual tightening up in wheat futures with May deliveries in Chicago and other major grain markets now at the ceiling. Lack of buying and selling was noticeable, trade sources said, adding that hedgers evidently were hesitating to sell futures at prices so near the ceiling where they might be frozen.

Favorable crop news and higher production estimates from a private source failed to stem the upward movement and observers said the tight cash situation appeared to be uppermost in the minds of traders.

Wheat—	Open	High	Low	Close
May	173-3	173-3	173-3	173-3
July	170-7	172	170-7	171-6
September	168-3	169-2	168-3	169-1
Barley—				
May				126
July	126-3	126-6	126-3	126-6
September	120-6	121-5	120-6	121-5

Hedley Mascot Up

VANCOUVER (CP)—Mines and oils held steady. Hedley Mascot was up 1 at 62 and Reeves Macdonald climbed 2 to 25. Cariboo remained unchanged at 1.65. Model Oil was unchanged at 21.

OILS—	Bid	Asked
Anaconda	4⅛	4⅛
Anglo-Canadian	61	62
A.P. Con.	12	14
British Dominion	—	110
C. and E. Corp.	190	—
Calmont	20	24
Commoil	21	24
Commonwealth	31	33
Dalhousie	35	42
Davies Pete.	12	—
East Crest	9	—
Foothills	110	—
Highwood Sarcee	11½	—
Home Oil	345	360
Madison	2	2½
Mercury	6	6⅞
McDougall Segur	5½	7
Mill City	6	—
Model	21	22
National Pete.	8	8½
Okalta	31	80
Pacalta	3	4⅛
Pacific Pete.	47	50
Royal Canadian	4	5
Royalite	20½	—
United Oil	5	—
Vanalta	7¼	8
Vulcan	15	20
MINES—		
Bayonne Cons.	4½	4⅞
Bralorne	11¾	12
Cariboo Gold	161	—
Golconda	5	5½
Gold Belt	25	26
Grandview	11	12
Grull Wihksne	3½	4
Hedley Mascot	62	64
Island Mountain	93	100
Kootenay Belle	36	39
Pacific Nickel	6	7
Pend Oreille	135	—
Pioneer Gold	210	215
Premier Border	3	—
Premier Gold	90	—
Privateer	38	39
Quatsino Copper	2¼	2½
Reeves MacDonald	—	26
Reno Gold	5	—
Sheep Creek	—	101
Silback Premier	63	64
Surf Inlet	—	9
Taylor Bridge	7½	8
Whitewater	4	4⅛
Ymir Yankee	3½	—
Capital Estates	3½	—
Coast Breweries	172	175
United Distillers	275	300

Home Oil

MONTREAL (CP) — Montreal Power rushed up ½ on today's market but among other utilities boarded B.C. Power "A," Brazilian and Winnipeg Electric were shaded. Steamship preferred was off in carriers.

Aluminum lagged. Home was improved in western oils.

Montreal Averages:
20 industrials ___77.20, off .20
10 utilities, ___54.20 unch'g'd.

	Bid	Asked
Canadian Investment Fund	400	—
Canadian Bank of Commerce	131	—
Dominion Bank	162	163
Imperial Bank	165	167
Bank of Montreal	—	153
Bank of Nova Scotia	236	238
Royal Bank	135	140
Bank of Toronto	233	234½
Abitibi com.	2½	2⅞
Aluminum com.	91½	93¼
Bell Telephone	152½	153
Brazilian Traction	23½	24
British America Oil	21½	21⅞
B.C. Packers	24	25
B.C. Power A	22	23
Canada and Dominion Sugar	20½	20¼
Canada Cement	6⅝	6⅞
Canada Northern Power	8	8⅝
Canada Steamships